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COLD WAVE NOW SCHEDULED TO COME TUESDAY

...ning to Snow Expected to Spread Over the Region Tonight.

SEVERE COLD IN WEST

Traffic Tied Up by Blizzard, While Livestock in the Open Suffers From Near-Zero Temperature; Drifting Exposes Wheat Fields to Freezing.

Delayed a day on its sweep through the West, the storm forecast Saturday as due today will be here in earnest by Tuesday night, according to the noon bulletin of the Weather Bureau.

Rain tonight will turn to snow, according to the forecast, and low temperature may be expected by the end of the first day of the new year.

The Middle West is reported to be in the grip of a blizzard, with temperatures near zero and snow piling in drifts

The temperature at 11 o'clock this morning was 62 degrees and the mercury remained at 40 degrees in the column over night Many persons, with fires banked in their furnaces, found it almost too warm to sleep comfortably.

Rain fell throughout most of yesterday and a greater portion of the night but the skies cleared this morning.

Mrs J. E. Sims has been picking pansies regularly in her flower garden. She got two on Christmas day. J. B. Echard reports a spring flower blooming in his yard and elsewhere in the city are reports of shrubbery budding.

W. H. Shaw of Jefferson street sent to The Courier office this morning a small branch of a rambler rose bush. The bush is coming into leaves, some of which are a half inch in length

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31. — With temperatures in the west as low as 34 below zero, the predicted cold wave was today sweeping eastward here it will arrive with the New Year according to forecasts.

By Tuesday night the whole country will be shivering. Snow and sleet will be general

Storm warnings have been ordered displayed from Block Island, R. I., to Eastport, Me.

Cold wave warnings were issued today for Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, South Carolina, Northwest Florida, Western North Carolina and extreme western Virginia.

In New England snow, sleet and rain will precede a drop in temperature.

New York will have rain or snow, then much colder weather.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 31.—A blizzard swept across Kansas plains and other sections of the West today, delaying trains and demoralizing wire communications. Snow fell during the night, swept by a gale that reached 50 miles an hour.

The mercury dropped close to zero. Stock raisers were forced to find shelter for animals and feed. Farmers were well prepared, however, as the season has been mild and they were able to conserve feed.

The snow which fell in the early evening afforded some shelter for wheat against freezing. However, as the snow drifted, many fields were swept bare.

Aurora Borealis Interferes With Radio Reception

Local radio fans reported today that an unusual condition prevailed in the reception of wireless programs last night. There seemed to be more than the usual static in the air and at times the note seemed to be entirely cut out.

Some of these cut outs were as long as 15 seconds it was said, and did not occur after a fade-away but came abruptly. At the end of these periods the volume would again be as strong as before.

More than one radio owner reported this condition this morning. One man advanced the theory that the northern lights were responsible, saying he saw the aurora borealis flashing in the sky last night.

Uniontown Store Robbed.

Working the combination and jimmying the money drawer of the safe in the office of the Cohen Furniture Company, Uniontown, between the hours of 11 P. M., Saturday night, and 9 o'clock Sunday morning, burglars secured a sum of cash estimated at $8,200, and made good their escape. The robbery was discovered Sunday morning about 9 o'clock when an employe of the firm entered the store.

Mother and Son Held.

William E. Moody and his mother, Mrs. Ellen Moody of Leisenring No. 2 were each held for court under bail in the sum of $2,500 Friday before Alderman J. J. Michael of Uniontown in connection with the robbery of $1,300 from a safe in the Leisenring No. 2 office on the night of November 26, last. The money was taken from pay envelopes which were contained in the safe.

Another Murder Added to List At Kiefertown

Special to The Courier

SCOTTDALE, Dec. 31.—State troopers were engaged today in the investigation of another murder at Kiefertown, that of Mike Costabile, said to be from Standard, near Mount Pleasant. Costabile was shot down while he was walking down the steps of an Italian boarding house Saturday night. Many shots are said to have been fired but only one hit Costabile, penetrating the chest under the right arm and apparently striking the heart.

What was the motive for the murder has not been determined, so far as announced by the officers It was said Costabile left the boarding house, about 10 o'clock, with a revolver in his hand. Almost immediately there was an exchange of shots and Costabile rolled down the steps dead. At his side, later, was found a .32 calibre revolver with all chambers empty. The theory is that Costabile had expected trouble.

The body was removed to the undertaking rooms of William Ferguson It had not been claimed at noon today.

According to the state police Costabile's home was at or near Mount Pleasant It is said he had been engaged in bootlegging and had been arrested some time ago on a liquor charge.

SIR ESME HOWARD NEW AMBASSADOR TO UNITED STATES

By United Press.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Official announcement of the appointment of Sir Esme Howard to succeed Sir Auckland Geddes as British ambassador to Washington was made here simultaneously with the arrival of American Ambassador Kellog who took up his official duties at the embassy today as successor to George Harvey. Commenting on the coincidence the Daily Express said:

"Both newcomers follow in the footsteps of men who have worked devotedly for the cause of Anglo-American friendship. They continue a line of remarkable personalities. Their task is smooth. Obliteration of the last seeds of disagreement has made a reality of that friendship to which has been paid many decades of lip service."

Sir Esme Howard is at present British ambassador at Madrid. Sir Auckland Geddes is retiring because of defective eyesight. He is returning to Washington to arrange his affairs before resigning his post.

The Labor press is incensed by the change of British ambassadors and even the Daily News, while not objecting to Sir Esme Howard, personally asks, "Why the indecent hurry?" and wants to know if the Conservatives are afraid the Labor government will appoint some Communist like the noisy Newbold.

Ambassador Kellog arrived in the thickest and moistest London fogs and went with Mrs. Kellog to Claridge's, where he will live temporarily. He announced he would be available to visitors and that he would be at work this morning.

Newsboys Will Be Guests of Kestners At Dinner Tonight

Tonight, at the Christian Church, newsboys will be guests of the Kestner Brothers, at the annual dinner to the newsies. The boys will assemble at the Kestner news depot in West Apple street at 7:30 o'clock, and go in a body to the church.

The dinner will be served by the Philathea Class of the Christian Sunday School.

Following the dinner there will be a short program and then the youngsters will adjourn to the gymnasium where they will have the freedom of the floor, for the remainder of the evening. The dinner will be served at 8 o'clock. The affair tonight is the fifth annual one to be given by the Kestners.

Operators Try To Force Strike, Editor Declares

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec 31. — Non-union coal operators are trying to force the bituminous coal strike on April 1, next, because of the "millions of unholy profits" a strike would mean to them, William Searles, editor of the United Mine Workers Journal, declared today in a statement.

Pardon Is Recommended.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 31.—Rev. J. J. Curran of Wilkes-Barre has agreed to look after the welfare of John Neary, serving 11 years in the Eastern Penitentiary, with the result that a pardon has been recommended for Neary who was convicted of manslaughter in the Luzerne county court in 1910 following the shooting of his wife.

S. S. Marsteller Has Stroke.

S. S. Marsteller is ill at his home in Wills road. He is suffering from a slight stroke of paralysis.

Connellsville Population Past 16,000, Survey Prepared For The Courier Indicates

Increase of 2,301 Since Government Census Was Taken in 1920.

The population of Connellsville at the close of 1923, four years after the last decennial census, is 16,105, an increase of 2,301, or 16.7 per cent, over the 13,804 shown in the United States enumeration of January, 1920, according to a survey just completed for The Courier.

The survey is based on statistics from local sources, giving comparative figures for the autumn of 1923 and for the autumn of 1919, immediately before the 1920 census, as summarized below.

Public school enrollment of 3,143 for 1923, and 2,742 for 1919 a gain of 401, or 14.6 per cent.

Increase of 16.0 per cent in the number of domestic water services for the four-year period

Characteristics of the population are,

	1920 Census	1923 Survey
Population	13,804	16,105
Males	6,814	7,950
Females	6,990	8,155
Citizens (21)	7,045	9,269
Males	3,957	4,617
Females	3,088	4,652
Dwellings	2,778	3,241
Families	3,107	3,625

The survey, with definitely ascertained figures of increase, should not be classed with estimates announced from year to year on the mythical assumption that the city's growth since 1920 has been at the identical rate of the period of 1910 to 1920.

W. H. LIVINGSTON, LOWER TYRONE FARMER, IS DEAD

William H. Livingston, 62 years old, prominent farmer of Lower Tyrone township and a former road supervisor of the township, died Saturday night at 8 o'clock at his home following a lingering illness of complications of diseases. He was born in Franklin township November 12, 1861, a son of the late Othonie and Jane Livingston and resided in that township until about 31 years ago when he moved on a farm in Lower Tyrone township. He was engaged in farming until about two years ago when he retired because of ill health. Mr Livingston was a Democrat and was widely known in the community of Dawson. He had served four years as road supervisor. He was married to Miss Mary Frances Craft of Redstone township. Besides his wife he is survived by two sons, Henry, at home, Clayton, of Akron, Ohio, and two brothers, Austin and Alex Livingston, both of Franklin township. One halfsister also survives.

A brief funeral service will be held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, followed by an additional service at the Flatwoods Baptist Church, of which Mr. Livingston was a member. Rev. A. A. Blake, the pastor, will officiate. The interment will be made in the church cemetery.

CITY'S TALL POLICEMAN QUITS JOB

A number of changes have been made in the police beats for January, according to the announcement made today at City Hall. The force will also lose one officer at the beginning of the month, Patrolman E. C Speight having submitted his resignation. He will take up similar employment elsewhere. While Speight was on the force Connellsville had the distinction of possessing the officer believed to be the tallest in the State.

The new schedule follows: V. E. Stevens, traffic at Brimstone corner, 8 A. M to 4 P M.; Andrew Thomas, patrol, 6 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Thomas McDonald, West Penn traffic, 2 P M. to 11:30 P. M; Charles Noz, traffic at Brimstone corner, 4 P. M. to midnight; H. W. Michaels, patrol, 6 P. M. to 6 A. M.; Patrolman Omach, night motorcycle patrol, 6 P. M. to 6 A. M.

Paddling Again to Be Established at Ohio Girls' School

By United Press.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 31.—The practice of paddling was re-established today at the Girls' Industrial School near Delaware Ohio.

State Welfare Department orders against corporal punishment was revoked by Governor Donahey.

Margaret Elton, matron of the school, said the whack of the paddle will balk further attempts by inmates to organize an uprising like that which threw the institution into an uproar last week.

The industrial school riot Friday night and Saturday in which more than 100 young girls took part was attributed to the Welfare Department's ban on corporal punishment

Two Killed, Two Hurt When Powder Mill Blows Up

By United Press.

RIDGWAY, Pa., Dec. 31.—Two men were killed and two injured today when the packing house of Hercules Powder Company at Emporium, 25 miles from here, was destroyed by an explosion.

The dead are Orlis Walker and Charles Mansfield, both employes, living at Emporium

The injured men were at work in an adjoining building which was damaged.

Corrado-Galiardi Company Has Nine Big Steam Shovels

The firm of Corrado & Galiardi, which last week was awarded a $400,000 road construction contract in Salem township, Westmoreland county, will place five steam shovels on the work

The company is the owner of nine shovels.

Police Circles Quiet.

There was little doing in police circles over the week-end. Three arrests were made on charges of drunkenness and the usual sentences were meted out.

Scoutmasters Association to Meet.

The Scoutmasters Association will meet tonight at the Baltimore & Ohio Y. M. C. A. at 7:30

Seven Mountain Climbers Killed By an Avalanche

By United Press.

INNSBRUCK, Dec 31.—Seven mountain climbers were killed by an avalanche in the Alps today.

OVERSTODRF, Bavaria, Dec. 31—An avalanche swept away two houses here today and an undetermined number of dwellers perished.

BERLIN, Dec. 31.—Fifty persons were injured Sunday while coasting at Freiderichshafen where thousands took advantage of unprecedented snowfalls.

POTSDAM, Dec. 31—While "thawing out" in a pastry shop after some winter sport two persons were killed when a kettle exploded The blast tore off an aged lady's hand.

STATE POLICE GET SEVEN TRUCKS LIQUOR IN SMITHTON RAID

GREENSBURG, Dec. 31—Smithton, believed by state police to be a distributing point for high-powered beer, was visited by troopers Saturday. Four arrests were made and three gallons of moonshine, 104 barrels of beer, 200 quarts of imported wine and 15 gallons of "some kind of whisky" were confiscated. It was necessary to hire seven trucks from Monessen to convey the booze to Point Lookout barracks.

Three hotels were among the places visited. At the Central Ben Bergin was arrested and gave bail before Justice Rhodes of Smithton in the sum of $1,000 for a hearing January 4 before Justice Todd G. Truxal of Greensburg At the Smith Hotel Alfred Roseman was arrested and released in the sum of $1,500 for appearance at court. At the New Hough Hotel Harry Frost was arrested and released under $1,000 bail for appearance at court Joe Bove, the fourth arrested, also was released in the sum of $1,000 bail for appearance at a hearing before Justice Truxal on January 4.

Elizabeth King McVey Former Connellsville Newspaper Girl, Dies

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs Elizabeth King McVey, wife of William McVey, at Harvey, Ill. The telegram was received by Miss Bess Perry, an intimate friend and did not state the cause.

Mrs. McVey was formerly society editor of the Daily News, Connellsville.

The Weather

Rain, changing to snow tonight; Tuesday local snow, much colder tonight cold wave Tuesday and Tuesday night is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania

Temperature Record.

	1923	1922
Maximum	62	60
Minimum	48	34
Mean	36	47

Ku Klux Klan Persecuting Jersey Youth, Is Charge; Re-Trial To Be Demanded

FRANCIS KLUXEN, 3RD.

MADISON N. J.—Religious hatred, fostered by the Ku Klux Klan, and envy, is to blame for the continued persecution of Francis Kluxen, 16-year-old youth acquitted of murdering Janet Lawrence, 11, according to Attorney-General Thomas F. McGran.

Frightful tales of Kluxen's depravity are told in Jersey, but no single soul can be found who saw any of his alleged misdeeds.

Though a jury failed to connect him with the crime, Kluxen's parents have spent their life savings defending him, his father has lost his position, and the entire family, including Monell Sayre, millionaire who adopted the Kluxen boy and made him his heir, have been socially "outlawed."

Supreme efforts are being made to bring Kluxen to trial again.

Slayer of Frick Policeman Gives Up Life in Chair

By United Press.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 31—Chester Ingram, negro of Fayette county, was electrocuted at Rockview Penitentiary today for the murder of George S. Riley, a special officer employed by the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Edenborn, near Uniontown, last March.

Ingram was taken to the chair at 7:10 o'clock and was pronounced dead eight minutes later. The body was buried in the penitentiary cemetery.

TRAIL LOST OF FOUR ESCAPING ATLANTA PRISON

By United Press.

ATLANTA, Dec. 31.—All law enforcement agencies of the South today concentrated on the search for four prisoners who escaped from the federal penitentiary here Sunday. Three of the men were traced to Macon but there the trail was lost. No clue of the whereabouts of the fourth has been found.

The fugitives include George Anderson, serving a 25-year sentence for participating in a $1,000,000 mail truck holdup in New York. He was the partner of Gerald Chapman who escaped last March and who has not been recaptured. Prison officers believe Anderson engineered Sunday's escape

American Woman Taken by Bandits

By United Press.

PEKIN, China, Dec 31—Chinese bandits, capturing the city of Tsao-Yank in the province of Supeh, kidnaped Mrs. Juline K Futhern, whose brother is a missionary, and seriously wounded Bernard Hoff and the latter's wife, who are attached to the same mission.

The governor of the province previously had warned the missionaries that bandits were about The missionaries embarked on junks and barges and remained several days on the river and returned to the mission on advice from the governor that the bandits had been suppressed. The American legation has protested in the strongest terms

Injured at Work.

John West, a miner employed by the W. J. Rainey interests near Vanderbilt, was admitted to the Connellsville State Hospital this morning with a slight injury to the shoulder received while at work.

GREAT STORM IS SWEEPING OVER SOUTHERN EUROPE

By United Press

PARIS, Dec. 31.—The elements which destroyed the dirigible Dixmude conspired today to obscure her fate.

Unprecedented storms swept Southern France and roared over the Mediterranean, cutting land communication as well as interrupting wireless and preventing news of the search for the airship and her crew from reaching the capital.

Official inquiry was begun into the causes that led to the Dixmude's destruction on the night of December 21-22, when, it now appears, the giant air liner was struck by a lightning bolt and hurled flaming into the sea where all her officers and men perished

PARIS, Dec. 31.—Hundreds evacuated their homes during the night as rising waters of the River Seine inundated new districts of Paris, Nanterre, St. Denis and Issy. The river rose eight inches and the situation is recognized as critical.

The Seine, swollen by freshets, already had caused great damage and suffering. It has risen nearly 20 feet.

Sale of Munitions To Obregon Regime Under Fire in House

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Demand for congressional investigation of "dollar diplomacy" involved in the agreement of the United States government to sell arms and ammunition to the Obregon government of Mexico was made today by Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, leader of the Progressive bloc

At the same time, developments indicated at the State Department Saturday night that the arms would be sold might be premature

Secretary of War Weeks indicated this after a long conference with Secretary Hughes. Weeks is opposed to selling the war materials and told Hughes so.

Boy Bicyclist Injured.

Charles Crawford, son of Mr and Mrs. J B Crawford of East Fayette street sustained a deep gash on his forehead Saturday afternoon when the tire on the bicycle on which he was riding came off as he was coasting down Fayette street hill. He was taken to the offices of a physician where his injuries were dressed.

Highway Patrol Active.

State Highway Police were active in this end of the county again last night Motorists were stopped at Logan's Crossing and lights and license plates were inspected.

POISON LIQUOR BLAMED FOR MANY ORGANIC DISEASES

Three Thousand Deaths In Philadelphia Charged to Drinking.

ARTERIES, KIDNEYS HIT

By United Press

PHILADELPHIA, Dec 31.—Poison liquor was responsible for 3,000 deaths in Philadelphia during the year ending today, instead of 856 as vital statistics now, according to Dr. C. H. Wells, professor of chemical medicine at Hahneman College.

"Probably 65 per cent of the deaths from hardening of the arteries, hardening of the liver and Bright's disease were the result of drinking illegal liquor," Dr Wells said. "Most of the deaths result from continued use over a period of months and when the victims die the death is recorded as due to organic disorders.

"Poison booze is directly or indirectly responsible for more than three times the number of deaths in this city that vital statistics show."

Coincident with the statement of Dr Wells police records show that another poison liquor death was added to the year's toll over the week-end Many persons are in hospitals being treated for acute alcoholism and 200 intoxicated persons fell into the hands of the law in the last 36 hours.

Dokeys Will Form Temple in County; Membership Drive

Fayette county will have a temple of the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan, an auxiliary of the Knights of Pythias. This was made certain at a meeting of the Pythian Booster Club in Uniontown Sunday afternoon at which time 100 persons were reported as ready to take the initial steps, while it was said there will be a membership of not less than 500 to start. The knights are otherwise known as Dokeys

The temple will have its headquarters in Uniontown.

Plans were made at the meeting for a membership drive the week of February 18. During the week the Connellsville lodge will put on a dramatic play in Uniontown There will be a parade of knights in full regalia and other activities.

The Booster Club will visit Coal Center January 3, Scottdale January 11 and Fairchance January 17, it was announced.

The committee on arrangements for the week is composed of L. G. Chorpenning, Arthur McGregor and M. J. Molans, all of Uniontown.

Week of Prayer Begins Tonight At Meyersdale

MEYERSDALE, Dec. 31.—The week of prayer, observed by the various churches of Meyersdale, will begin this evening, the services being held in the Reformed Church. The opening one will be a watch night service, beginning at 9 o'clock and continuing until a few minutes after 12 o'clock. The program will be a religious service with sermon, then a social hour with refreshments and then a short consecration service, lasting until after the church bells have announced the advent of the new year.

The services for the balance of the week will begin at 7:30 o'clock and will be in the following churches:

Tuesday evening in the Brethren Church, Wednesday evening in the Lutheran Church, Thursday evening in the Methodist Church and Friday evening in the Church of the Brethren.

Postoffice Schedule For New Years Day

No deliveries by rural carriers.

No deliveries by residence carriers.

One complete delivery by business carriers.

One business delivery by parcel post carrier.

One delivery of perishable parcels post.

General delivery and stamp windows open from 7 A M to 10 A. M.

Money order and registry windows closed all day.

Special delivery mails delivered on arrival of all trains.

Lobby open from 6 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Mails will be received and dispatched to and from all scheduled mail trains.

W. A. Furlong Is Burned by Gasoline

William A Furlong suffered burns on his hand and arm yesterday while wiping off the engine of his automobile with gasoline He was using a paint brush for the purpose and when a metal band around it touched an electric wire it caused a spark which ignited the gasoline

Some of it had been spilled on his sleeve and he was burned before getting the flames extinguished. The fire department was summoned but little damage was done to the car.

MISS ANGELA C. STADER TO WED CHARLES F. DONNELLY

Banns for the marriage of Miss Angela C. Stader, daughter of Mrs Joseph L. Stader, and Charles F. Donnelly, son of Mr and Mrs J. J. Donnelly of East Green street, were published yesterday morning in the Immaculate Conception Church The coming marriage is of much interest socially. Miss Stader and her fiance being members of two of Connellsville's oldest and best known families. The bride-elect was graduated from St. Xavier Academy, Beatty and from the Manuel Richer School, New York She also studied under Arthur Berrieal, an instructor at the Metropolitan School, Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Donnelly is secretary of the Stader Coal Company, and is bookkeeper for the Fersol Coal Company. The date for the wedding was not announced.

G. I. A. New Year Party.

All members of the G. I. A. to B. of L. E. are invited to attend a New Year party to be held Wednesday evening, January 2, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Heavner, 1012 Vine street.

Greenwood Women Meet.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Greenwood Methodist Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs C H. Williams on South Eighth street, Greenwood. All members are requested to attend.

Watch Night Services.

The Methodist Protestant Church at the Summit will hold watch night services tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris at the Summit.

With Mrs. Buckner.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian Church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary P. Buckner in Race street.

Gannon-Stillwagon.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Caroline Marie Gannon, daughter of Mrs. Mary Gannon and Alphonse Clair Stillwagon, son of Mrs. Rose Stillwagon, solemnized Thursday morning, December 27, at 7 o'clock in the Immaculate Conception Church, Rev. Father Henry Gebel, the pastor, officiated. Mrs. Frank McGinnis, accompanied by Miss Jean'e Cunot, sang during the ceremony. The bride wore an accordion pleated dress of midnight blue satin, a rust colored hat and diamond bar pin, a gift of the groom. Miss Dorothy Stillwagon, a sister of the groom as maid of honor, appeared in navy canton crepe, with hat to match and carried pink roses. Thomas Noe, a cousin of the bride, served as best man. The bride's gift to her maid of honor was a string of beads, while the groom's gift to his best man were cuff links. At noon a turkey dinner of seventy-five covers was served The bride's table, at which covers for twelve were laid, was centered with a large wedding cake. Cut flowers decorated the other tables. The young couple received many beautiful wedding gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Stillwagon will reside at Shadyside, Pittsburg.

Watch Service at U. B. Church.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the United Brethren Church will hold a watch service at the church tonight, beginning at 9 o'clock. The society invites all members of the church to attend.

Official Board to Meet.

The monthly meeting of the official board of the United Brethren Church will be held Thursday night in the church.

E. P. Meetings.

The Mission Study Class will meet Thursday night at the home of the pastor, Rev. Francis J. Scott The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church. The Anna Duncan Mission Class will meet Friday night in the church.

Aid Society to Meet.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will meet Friday night in the church parlors Mrs W F Penn and Mrs. John May are hostesses.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Wednesday afternoon in the church. Mrs. W W. Haines will conduct the devotional exercises.

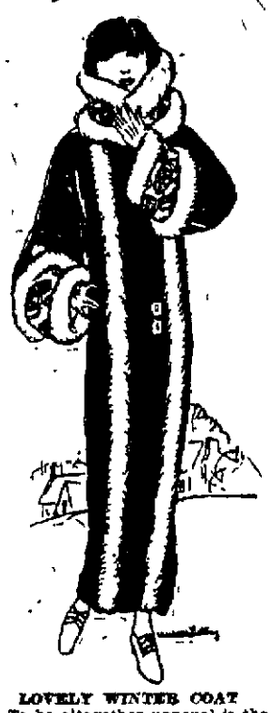
Mary E. Dick Class.

The Mary E. Dick Bible Class of the First United Presbyterian Church will meet Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. W. D. Long in the Wesley Apartments, West Apple street

New Year Dance.

Invitations have been issued for a New Year reception and dance to be given Friday night in the State Armory by the Connellsville Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star The hours are from 8 30 to 2 o'clock.

Daily Fashion Hints



LOVELY WINTER COAT

To be altogether unusual is the ambition of this slim coat of brown Marvella that hands itself so attractively with beaver fur and adds a dash of color in red and silver brocade that enlivens sleeves and collar. Gray crepe de chine lines the top of the coat, red and gray brocaded crepe fastened at the hips with ribbon braid lines the skirt.

Mrs. Weimer Hostess.

Mrs P R Weimer will be hostess at the regular meeting of the Narcissus Club Wednesday afternoon at her home in Wills road

Civic League to Meet.

The Connellsville Civic League will meet Tuesday night at 7 30 o'clock at the City Hall Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and the committees in charge of the parent-teacher reception to be held Thursday evening, January 10 will submit reports Mrs C C. Kiernan of Somerset will be the principal speaker at the reception.

Dawson Couple Weds.

Miss Edna Divilbiss and Clyde M Whitmoyer, both of Dawson, were married Monday afternoon, December 24, at the home of Rev. O C Carlile of Fairchance.

Licensed in Uniontown.

Herschel Williams of Purseglove, W. Va., and Helen O Newman of Uniontown were licensed to wed in Cumberland.

Missionary Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G W. Campbell in East Green street The committee is composed of Mrs. Campbell, Mrs W. R. Glasper and Mrs. Martha Cypher. A large attendance is desired.

Mt. Pleasant Girl Honored.

Miss Gwendolyn Michaels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H Michaels, entertained a number of her friends at her home at Latrobe in honor of her guest, Miss Thelma Racusin of Mount Pleasant. Games and music were the amusements and later in the evening Mrs. Michaels served dainty refreshments.

Springer-Rush.

Miss Mildred Springer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. Springer of Uniontown, and Frederick H. Rush, a member of the reportorial staff of The Daily News, eloped to Cumberland early Saturday morning and were married. The bride is a Uniontown High School student.

Annual Assembly.

The thirty-seventh annual assembly of the Uniontown Laurel Club will be held tonight in the club rooms. Many guests, including a number from out of town, are expected to attend.

Philathea Class.

The Philathea Class of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday night at the home of Misses Grace and Ruth Robinson in South Eighth street, Greenwood

New Year Reception.

The annual New Year reception at the Greensburg Country Club will be held Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock.

Senior Club Meets at Dunbar.

The Senior Romantic Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Virginia Foltz of Dunbar.

O. R. C. Auxiliary.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the O. R C. will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baltimore & Ohio Y. M. C. A.

Bridge Party For Friends.

Miss Hilda Hartwig of Mount Pleasant won first prize at a bridge party given Saturday afternoon by Miss Helen Cook at her home at Greensburg for girl friends home from school

Engagement Announced.

Mr and Mrs A. J McClay of Uniontown announce the engagement of their daughter Helen, to Robert J Kaylor, son of Mr and Mrs. D W. Kaylor of Greensburg.

St. John's Luther League Officers.

Officers of the Luther League of St. John's Lutheran Church were elected Sunday as follows President, Paul Sandusky; vice-president, William Boughman; secretary Walter Rosendale treasurer, William Phantok all re-elected, assistant secretary, Robert Tishman chairman of Chapel, William Sandusky, all new The next meeting will be January 13

"HUMAN SONG IS GREATEST"

Writer Declares That the Angels Pause to Listen to the Things Worth While.

I have a very great delight in writing. It is like going swimming at sunrise, or like picking up the mainsail burnt in a moonlighted Horn gale, or like any number of things that make one's life a happy thing I wish that I could write in such a way as to leave a blossom flowering when I sail to the last haven. One wants to do one's bit, doesn't one? asks Bill Adams

Oh, yes. One wants to get to the very heart of no end of a hard fight and to hit fast, hard and true—going down with a light laugh if down one must go And if victorious, lifting a fallen foe with the same laugh and the hand-of friendship, eh? Isn't that so?

There really is nothing to beat a man's life, is there?

For instance—don't you suppose that when the old rusty-bowed clippers go booming through the last sea, carrying the scarred souls of many a tough old mariner toward the wharf whose bollards are made of gold, don't you suppose now that the Great Superintendent of the Fleets will say to the angels,

'Cease your hollering, boys—hold on, now steady! [illegible] a bit," and add, "Hush, he [illegible] time—let's listen to their rousing chanteys—that's real music, boys"

Don't you rather reckon that, all said and done, the song of a human man is, through all the long years of greater worth than harping of myriads of angels, eh?—Adventure Magazine

Eagles Schedule Games

The South Side Eagles will play their opening game of the season tonight at Trotter Hall when they will clash with the strong Trotter Hurricanes Tomorrow night they will play the Dickerson Run Y M C A at Dickerson Run The line-up for the Eagles will be: Gardner and Rittenour, forwards; "Joe" Lowney, center, May and Cunningham, guards

Mrs. Gehring Under Operation.

Mrs Ada M. Gehring of West Green street underwent an operation Saturday at the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, and is resting easily, according to word received from the hospital on Sunday Mrs. Gehring is employed in the ladies' ready-to-wear department of the Wright-Metzler Store.

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Grim Reaper

RICHARD MEANS.

Richard Means, 62 years, seven months and 10 days old, a Frick veteran and pensioner, died Sunday evening at his home in Twelfth street Death resulted from heart disease, after an illness of more than two years He was born in Bullskin township, the son of Thomas and Susan Eichor Means, and was educated in the schools of that district For a number of years he was employed by the Sulsson Fire Brick Company and for 21 years he worked at the Lemont plant of the H C. Frick Coke Company He was pensioned a year ago He was married 22 years ago to Miss Elizabeth Huey of Bullskin township She also is dead In addition to his mother, at home, he is also survived by three sisters Mrs Samuel Goodwin of Trotter, Mrs J H Saunders of Flint, Mich, and Mrs William Davis of Akron Ohio, and two brothers, Albert of East Church place and T. F., of North Eighth street

No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

MARINDA HANEY

Mrs Marinda Haney, 79 years old, widow of Aaron Haney died Saturday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs Anna Jones at Dillinger where she had gone to spend Christmas Death was due to infirmities of age Mrs Haney had resided at Flatwoods and community for about 40 years and had many friends in that section. She is survived by the following children, Benjamin Haney of Summit John Haney of Flatwoods Mrs Elizabeth Dougherty of Connellsville Mrs Ella Appleby of Keister, Mrs Nora Knight of Uniontown and Mrs Jones of Dillinger

The body was taken to the funeral parlors of Ira Blair at Perryopolis and will remain there until Wednesday morning when it will be removed to the Flatwoods Baptist Church where services will be held at 11 o'clock. Rev A A Blake, the church pastor, will officiate. The interment will be made in the church cemetery.

EDWARD CAMPBELL.

Edward Campbell, 63 years old, a resident of the Connellsville coke region for about 40 years, 35 of which were spent in the employ of the H. C Frick Coke Company, died Sunday morning at the family home in Uniontown of spinal meningitis. Besides his wife he is survived by the following children Miss Cora Campbell and John E Campbell, both at home, and Mrs. A. W House, South Uniontown. The Campbell family moved to Uniontown from Scottdale.

The funeral service will be held at the home Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock followed by interment in Oak Grove Cemetery.

WALTER ARTIS.

Funeral services for Walter Artis, 43 years old, who was killed by a fall of slate in the Lemont mine, were held this afternoon at the home of his mother, Mrs Mary Artis of Fairchance. Rev. Harry Humbert officiated.

Mr. Artis was working in the entry of the mine and was killed instantly. He had resided in Uniontown for a number of years and besides his widow, Mrs Ella Artis, and his mother he is survived by one brother, John Artis of Fairchance and the following sisters, Mrs Thomas McFadden, Mrs Ewing Zerley, Mrs. Thomas Scott, all of Fairchance and Mrs Able Schreckengost, of Dennis.

Discover Traces of Ancient City of David

London.—Discovery of traces of the ancient City of David, reported from Jerusalem some time ago, is confirmed in a dispatch from Prof. Robert E. Macalister, leader of the joint expedition sent to the holy land by the Palestine Exploration fund and the Daily Telegraph. Prof. Macalister says he has every reason to believe that by a fortunate coincidence the expedition has discovered the remains of the mysterious "Millo" mentioned in the biblical description of David's fortifications in the Jebusite citadel he captured.

Dogs Guard Body.

LANCASTER, Dec 31.—Guarded by her pets, a little poodle dog and several cats, Miss Emma Thomas aged spinster, was found dead in her home here today by police

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The New Calendar

By Marie V. Caruthers, in New York Times

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Like fair, uncut pages are
In the volume, yet unread,
Of my New Year's calendar—
One continued chapter they,
Starting in afresh today!

Though this selfsame calendar
Serves us all throughout the years,
Hours which make your joy, for me
May be fraught with grief and tears;
Those my happiness which bring,
Will find others sorrowing.

Days that stretch on far ahead,
I must live them one by one,
Bearing what may be in store
Till the year's long tale is spun.
What is written there? I turn
One page at a time—and learn!

Falls my lot in pleasant ways?
Will death interrupt my task?
All is hid from mortal eye
But, Life, just one boon I ask:
Let me meet courageously
Whatsoever fate may be!

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MARK BELL SUCCUMBS

Special to The Courier

SCOTTDALE, Dec 31—This evening the following affairs will be held in Scottdale to usher in the New Year:

At the First Baptist Church an excellent musical program has been arranged, in charge of Mrs. E H Attwood. She will give another of her popular monthly concerts. With other musical numbers there will be whistling by Miss Jennie Becker. At the close of the program refreshments will be served This will be followed by watch night services in charge of Rev. Ebner E Williams, the pastor.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church from 9 until 12 o'clock there will be watch night services. Rev. H. A. Rowe of the Y. M. C A will speak. There will be a special musical program. The Young Ladies' Bible Class of the church will serve refreshments. Persons who cannot spend the entire three hours are asked to come any time they can and remain for as much of the service as is possible.

An important meeting of the Odd Fellows will be held in the Odd Fellows Hall this evening and the New Year will be ushered in. The committee in charge is made up of J E. Skiles, E. K Ritchey, George Tallentire, D R. Rhea and E. M. Saylor. Twenty-five year jewels will be presented to W. L Shaffer, burgess of Scottdale, F. L Frankland and S. B. Anderson of McKeesport. A 50-year medal will be awarded to R. M Young. On the program that is arranged will be speaking by Rev. E. B. Learish, Rev. Paul S Wight, Rev. J. T. Tannehill and Rev. W. J. Muir An oyster supper will be served by the members of the Rebekah Lodge

A dance will be held this evening at the Pleasant Valley Country Club at which time the New Year will be ushered in. Three well-known Scottdale men are on the committee, Thomas H. Dawson, Walter H. Glasgow and James B. Hurst. The hours are from 9 until 1. This is an annual affair.

Schedule at Y. W. C. A.

On Tuesday, New Year, the regular schedule will be maintained at the Y. M. C. A., with possibly a basketball game in the evening.

Funeral of Accident Victims.

The funeral service for James W. Clites, who was killed Wednesday morning at Thompson's Crossing, was held at the United Brethren Church at Everson Saturday afternoon, in charge of Rev. J. T. Farnsworth, pastor. Clites was a member of the borough council and this body was in attendance at the funeral, as well as the Knights of Pythias, of which he also was a member. Interment was made in the Scottdale Cemetery.

Despite the steady downpour of rain, there was a large attendance yesterday afternoon at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church for the funeral of Bruce Struckoff, the other victim on last Wednesday's accident. Rev. J. O. Glenn, pastor of the church, had charge of the service. Interment was made in the Scottdale Cemetery.

Scottdale Beats Youngwood.

The Scottdale Big Five played its first game on the Y M. C A. floor on Saturday evening when it defeated the Youngwood team by a score of 44 to 36. On the local team were Anderson and Heimbaugh, forwards; Waugaman, center; Maloy and Bulick, guards, with Mites and Rider as substitutes. The Youngwood lineup was: Cowel and H Allen, forwards; Garber, center, and Allen and Cigavoic, guards. So far no other game has been scheduled

High Opens Friday.

The Scottdale High School five will open its season Friday evening when it will go to Uniontown to meet the high school five at that place. On Saturday evening it will play South Brownsville on the Y. M C. A floor at this place

Dawson

DAWSON, Dec 31.—Mr and Mrs. A C. Mosser were Pittsburg visitors on Thursday.

Frank Goldsboro is home from a few days' visit at Akron, Ohio.

Wesley Galley of Lower Tyrone was a town visitor Friday.

I Was No Beauty

As a girl—till these ways made me so
By Edna Wallace Hopper

I was not a natural beauty. Many a girl had finer hair, figure and complexion. But my mother went with me to search the world for the greatest beauty helps in existence Those helps made me a famous beauty, and kept that beauty to my grand old age.

I have seen those helps bring multiplied beauty to countless young girls since then. They have brought to many friends of mine decades of added youth. That is why I now am helping millions to obtain them.

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My Facial Youth is a liquid cleanser perfected by French experts Now the great masters of beauty, the world over, employ it.

It contains no animal, no vegetable fat. The skin cannot absorb it. But it penetrates the skin to the depths When I wipe it off, all the dirt and grime, all the refuse comes with it I never knew what a clean skin meant until I found Facial Youth.

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NOTE—Miss Hopper is now playing the Pantages Vaudeville circuit of the Western States.—Advertisement.

John H. Rhodon of Uniontown was a business caller Friday.

The American Legion will hold a pie social and square dance in the Legion Hall on New Year's Eve, Monday night. All are invited to attend.

Misses Ethel Newell of town and Isobelle Lint of Dunbar township, will leave January 2 for Pittsburg to enter the Nurses Training School of the Presbyterian Hospital taking up a three year course in nursing

Misses Gertrude and Mildred Cunningham are spending the week-end at the home of Mrs. John J. Donnelly, Beaver Falls.

Harry Thorpe was a Pittsburg visitor Thursady.

John Haney of near Star Junction was in town Friday.

W. H. Jones is home from a few days' visit at Latrobe.

Perryopolis

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 31.—John Davidson of Washington, Pa, is visiting Ralph Martin here.

Marion Sisley of Charleroi is visiting relatives here

Mrs Howard Adams and daughter, Isabella were Pittsburg shoppers yesterday

Jesse Eskon has returned to Oil City after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Chalfant of Barnesville, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Margaret Haller returned to McKeesport after visiting at her home here.

H. D Blair and Leslie Williams were business callers at Charleroi, Saturday.

Layton

LAYTON, Dec 31.—Miss Hazel Golden of Pittsburg visited her mother, Mrs J. C Dragoo over Christmas.

William Layton of Fayette City was here visiting relatives recently.

Miss Mary Bell Reily of Ravenna Ohio, visited her parents over Christmas.

Miss Josephine Ackley of Layton and Mrs Lucy Newcomer of Pittsburg were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McClanahan of Perryopolis over Christmas.

Earl Carson of McKeesport visited his mother over Christmas.

Mr and Mrs. Joseph McKelvey of West Newton were calling on relatives recently.

Alverton

ALVERTON, Dec. 29—Louis Quartz and Thomas Larson, both of Point Marion, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. L. Quartz.

Miss Beatrice Christner of Uniontown spent Tuesday at her home here.

William Brahs left his home for Crucible this week where he will be employed

Mr and Mrs Harry Kaufman of Harmorville spent the holidays with relatives here

Mrs Ellen Anthony is home after spending several days in Uniontown with relatives

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His New Year Resolution

Katherine Edelman

ARTHUR WILLIAMS came down to the office all out of sorts with everything and everybody, so much so that when Clark Winston began to confide in him about the many good resolutions that he was making for the New Year he tried to cut him off with a sharp retort

But Clark Winston, bubbling with the exuberance of youth, and radiant with the enthusiasm of the newly-engaged, was not easily rebuked "Not make New Year resolutions?" he said. "Why! that's just what the New Year's for. It takes a day like it to jolt a fellow out of the rut he has been traveling in too long, and to keep us from growing away from the ideals of our school days. So, you bet you, I'll be making good resolutions this year and try to keep them, too, so I'll be worthy of the love of the best little girl in the world."

Arthur Williams turned away impatiently and went to his desk. But all morning there came to him again and again the memory of the conversation and the look that had been on Clark Winston's face as he had voiced his determination to make New Year resolves Each time the thought came to him he tried to put it from him but somehow he found it hard to do. For there had come to him, too, the memory of a time when he, too, had made such resolutions—when he, too, had looked to the future with the desire deep within him to make himself more worthy each day of the woman who had consented to be his Now, however, he was content to drift along with the tide, to take each day as just a repetition of the one before—content to just hold the place he occupied in the business world, and worse almost content with the home life that was now his, almost indifferent to the fact that he and his wife had slowly drifted apart and that the ardent love which had been theirs in the long ago seemed to be now dead.

But in other days it had been different with him—he had then been just as full of hope in the future—as full of the fire of zeal and devotion toward the woman who was his as any man could be How, he asked himself now, had it come to be that things were as they were? Was it that his love for his wife was dead, that he cared no longer for her, or was it her fault that they had slowly, almost imperceptibly drifted apart? Looking back, he recalled now, with a half-shudder of remorse, many little instances where she had tried to bring the old ways back, which he, in the blind stupidity of taking things for granted attitude had treated lightly and passed by. He recalled with a pang one particular instance—a wedding anniversary it was—when she had met him at the door in a pretty gown and when she had gone to all manner of trouble in preparing a wonderful dinner, with all his favorite dishes, and when during the meal she had asked him several times if he were not forgetting something And when after dinner, was over and she reminded him that this was their fifth wedding anniversary he had only mumbled through his evening paper: "Yes, I guess it is, but I had forgotten all about it."

All these things came to him now as often before a dying man will flash in a few moments a hundred episodes of his life, and he realized with a sudden rush of feeling how empty and desolate his life would be with Evelyn out of it entirely. True, for a long time now he had just taken her presence for granted—had just thought of her as some one who was always there—some one who was necessary to his well-being and comfort, just as some article of comfort and convenience might be, but now he realized how much she meant to him, and he knew that the love which he had thought was dead and buried was still burning but that its flame was not felt because of the heavy curtain his indifference and neglect had thrown over it.

And then it was that Arthur Williams made a New Year resolution and one which he kept through all the years that followed, judging from the new happiness which came to him and his wife and from the buoyancy and hopeful attitude toward the future which he brought to his tasks each day.

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Indo-China Furnishes Ideas for Women's Duds

The French provinces in Indo-China have furnished considerable inspiration for the season, notably in small decorative details; motifs for fine buckles trimmings for hats in printed, embroidered and woven designs, says a fashion writer in the New York Tribune

Rodier, the well-known manufacturer of novelty woolens, most of which are woven on hand looms, is showing a tremendous quantity of Indo Chinese designs in woolen fabrics and in galloons or bands, which all Paris milliners and dressmakers catering to high-class trade use in their collections

He has a series of galloons which he calls Tehillaine. This looks something like strips of hand woven carpet done in what is called the hit-or-miss pattern. These galloons are being used by the smartest milliners for making the most exclusive hats They are trimmed with the feathers of pheasants and other game birds in the natural mottled gray and white and brown and white effects Again, when the coloring is a mixed cashmere effect, the glycerined ostrich plume is used in the various so-called Persian colorings

Many of Rodier's newest materials are woven in panel pattern, one and one-quarter and one and one-half meters in length being the repeat of the design Thus they will require great art in making and will have an air of exclusiveness that cannot be given with the ordinary novelty patterned fabrics.

Among his paneled novelties is one called poplin carre, which has been chosen by almost every important dressmaker in Paris for her

This is a silk poplin printed in one and one-half meters long the design consisting of a rectangular square printed in the center of the silk width, this center panel being in a lighter tone. Thus a navy blue poplin will have a panel in a lighter shade of blue, brown will show it in tan, black in green, and so on. In fact, every desirable combination can be had in the poplin carre. Paris dressmakers in their choice have reserved certain colorings for their individual use, thus preventing other houses from having the same colors It is a rather queer idea, and one looks forward with interest to the models that will be made in the poplin carre

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CITY COUNCIL'S OPPORTUNITY AND DUTY.

Public sentiment with respect to the necessity for making adequate provision for the support of the Carnegie Library has become so definitely crystallized that members of the City Council should have no difficulty in deciding what should be their course of action in the matter of an appropriation for the ensuing year.

At a recent conference of members of Council and the School Board President Matthews of the latter gave expression to the view that City Council should meet the present Library emergency as courageously as the School Board a few years ago met a similar situation when larger receipts were necessary to be provided for the increased expenses of the school district.

The only alternative of the School Board was to increase taxation. Doing so caused some sharp, unreasoning and unfair criticism but it was perhaps much less in volume and virulence than would have been voiced by patrons of the public schools had the school directors been so solicitous of the political effect of a boost in taxes that they would have evaded their duty by failing to keep our school equipment and facilities abreast of the times.

A similar situation confronts the City Council now that the School Board has reached the limit of its resources and is unable to share jointly with Council in supporting the Library. It will take a little courage for City Council to assume the whole burden of the Library's support and may occasion some criticism if the tax levy is increased, but the unfavorable comments thus occasioned will be few in number and mild in tenor as compared with those likely to be heard if the Library is required to drag along another year without sufficient funds to give the best service to the community.

Mr. Matthews is not alone in giving expression to the sentiment of people who have given thoughtful study to the Library problem. The Kiwanis and Rotary clubs, the Elks and several women's organizations have gone on record in favor of City Council taking such steps as may be necessary—even to the extent of increasing the tax levy—to discharge the obligation of the municipality to support the Library.

The membership of the organizations mentioned comprise truly representative citizens who, for most part, are those upon whom the burden of any increase in taxation would fall the heaviest. This being true members of City Council ought not to be fearful that an avalanche of adverse criticism will fall upon them in case they follow the example of the School Board and take a firm grip on the situation created by the imperative need for larger income. Rather should they be concerned about what the citizens will have to say if they fail to display the courage required to meet the situation frankly and as fully as it should be met.

Members of City Council have found that by a careful trimming of the budget $7,000 can be appropriated to the Library for 1924. This is approximately $3,000 less than the Library will need and also less than is due the Library under the agreement previously made by Council and the School Board, and confirmed by a vote of the people. The addition of [illegible] levy of last year will provide [illegible] deficiency in the Library appropriation which, as present day increase [illegible] tax levies are rated, is inconsiderable, and will impose no hardship on a single taxpayer in the city.

In the present circumstances the City Council has such a splendid opportunity to assume the whole burden of the Library's support, and it is so manifestly its duty so to do, that there ought to be no hesitancy whatever in disregarding the possible political effects of such action as may be necessary to solve the problem once and for all, and in the best way it can be solved.

"Making" the Weather

By WILLIAM J. LOSH

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

CHAPTER V.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Like the moles which perform prodigious labors out of sight of men, leaving a single obvious track to mark their presence and passing, the weathermen do much more than merely provide the forecasts which appear in the newspapers every day.

They make special forecasts for pigeon fanciers who want to stage homing fights, for bee keepers, orchardists, cranberry planters, harvesters, concrete contractors, live stock raisers, aviators, water power projects, and a veritable host of individuals and industries to which the weather is a dollars and cents matter.

At the five district offices where these special forecasts are made two-thirds of all the forecasters' work is in making these special predictions. The other third is devoted to the ordinary weather forecasts for the man in the street.

Slow to Complain.

Curiously enough, the persons to whom accurate weather prediction is most vital are most tolerant of the weatherman's mistakes. If some weather change of which they have not been warned unexpectedly swoops down on them and causes them heavy financial loss, they are slow to complain. They know the weathermen are doing their best and they are the most liberal in their attitude toward them. It is the man in the street, whose maximum discomfort in an unexpected storm is a pair of wet shoes, who is most critical, the weathermen say.

Another of the tasks pursued by the bureau in quiet is the analytical study of the devastating tropical hurricanes which sweep out of the West Indies, to destroy shipping wherever it lies in their paths, either in the Gulf of Mexico or off the Atlantic seaboard.

Patiently, year after year, one or another of the forecasters in his "off months," assembles the data supplied by ship masters who were in the neighborhood of the gigantic "twisters" of the seas when they swept by. Sometimes this data is months reaching the Weather Bureau, but when it does come, the mariner's observations are plotted on a chart and another bit of life history of a particular hurricane is reduced to print.

When full data is received the antics of the cyclone are patiently mapped and studied so that mankind may some time master them.

Book About Hurricanes.

Next year a book about these tropical hurricanes will be published by the bureau, the first of its kind for ten years.

It covers every hurricane that has swept the North Atlantic in the past 36 years. Their origins are traced from as far east as the African coast and their endings as far north as Scotland. Mariners await with particular interest this fruit of the work of one of the bureau's "moles."

Others tasks of the weathermen are connected with series of international observations, which are centralized from time to time and generalizations drawn from them for scientific purposes.

Studies in adapting radio to the science of weather prediction and to the dissemination of forecasts is also being pursued. The bureau now uses radio in several ways; for instance, it receives from ships valuable observations that permit determination of atmospheric conditions that otherwise would escape notice, particularly hurricanes, and it disseminates forecasts by radio for shipping and farmers. Studies are now being made to determine if radio can be adapted to the gathering and dissemination of the meteorological data from the hundreds of observing stations throughout the country.

Wholesome Penalties

Harrisburg Telegraph.

Everyone who reads the list of causes for which State Registrar Ben G. Eynon forfeited automobile licenses this month will wish more power to him in his effort to make roads unsafe and at the same time trust the new Highway Patrol will round up the fools and crooks who disregard law and gospel in racing about the State.

Mr. Eynon's latest list shows men lost licenses for running while drunk, some of them people in this community; that others refused to stop and give help after an accident; that still others ran cars recklessly or transported liquor or took rides without consent of the owner.

Probably the most contemptible of these violators are the people who fail to give assistance after an accident. They don't deserve any consideration and it is to be hoped State authorities make as many examples of that kind as they can. Newspapers will print their names.

Running cars in Pennsylvania without regard for the public is getting to be a dangerous game in Pennsylvania. The penalties inflicted this month are wholesome.

Easier to Earn a Living

Pennsylvania Farmer.

We have more, and pay less for it. That is the contrast which exists between things as they are today and as they were a generation and more ago. Our grandfathers harvested their small crops with a cradle and carried the grain off to have it ground for home use. We harvest a large acreage more easily than they did their little patch, and we sell the grain, or the livestock to which it is fed, for enough money to buy the whole year's supply of flour. And with the proceeds left over we purchase automobiles and washing machines, phonograph records and high-priced furniture, and stylish clothing and radio outfits.

Our grandfathers worked long hours for the bare necessities of life; we work shorter hours for the necessities and have luxuries undreamed of a few years ago thrown in. The business of earning a living becomes easier every day. When the struggle for existence ceases to be a struggle, what will keep us out of mischief?

CALL FOR JURY SERVICE.

Scottdale Men in Westmoreland List For First Week of February.

GREENSBURG, Dec. 31.—Jurors drawn for the first week of February court include the following:

Ralph Baxter, Arthur Ruth, Ralph Stoner and Frank Wise, Scottdale; Will Adams, Jacob Blystone, W. H. Kuhns, E. P. Ong, W. L. Stimfer, John Trice and D. F. Welshonse, Mount Pleasant township; Charles Hurst, Mount Pleasant; Blair Hepler, Smithton; Jacob Kooser, Allen Porter and J. F. Painter, East Huntingdon township.

Encouragement for McAdoo.

Portland Oregonian.

Ought to be considerable encouragement to Mr. McAdoo in the fact that the crown prince also came back.

Bolshevikl Have Something In Their Favor.

San Diego, Cal., Union.

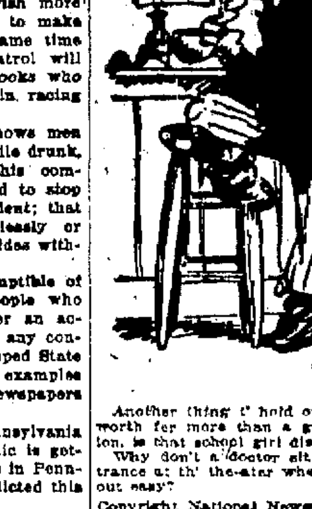
Moscow sentences eight government employes to be executed for grafting on public funds. There is that much to be said in favor of the Bolsheviki.

Creates Doubt.

Buffalo Express.

We can't believe the dispatch from London which asserts that "women exaggerate their age to vote."

Abe Martin



Another thing t' hold onto that'll be worth far more than a good complexion, is that school girl disposition. Why don't a doctor sit near th' entrance at th' the-ater where heskin git out easy?

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Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

DECEMBER 31.

They say you die today, Old Year,
Tonight you cease to be—
Upon that final stroke of twelve you
join eternity;
Tomorrow you shall sleep with all the
years that lie before,
Something that was and walked on
earth but is to be no more.
Dead as Old Marley! Dead as the leaf
that withers 'neath the frost,
Done with the duties of the world, and
yet not wholly lost.

A thousand years from now, perhaps,
men still will turn and see
Something along the path of life to
mark your memory,
Because you were and in your time
some little joy you brought,
You still shall live in countless breasts
enshrined by gracious thought:
Children shall write your name with
glee full many a happy morn,
And carry it bravely all through life—
the year when they were born.

We shall recall you countless times,
and after we have gone
In all the records men shall read you
shall be living on.
Marbles which mark our lovely dead,
intended to endure,
Shall wear for all who care to read
your lasting signature;
Whether by grief or laughing joy,
whether by death or birth,
Fortune or failure's sad mischance, you
still shall live on earth.

Because you were, you still shall be!
We say men live and die,
Yet none that was shall cease to be,
though death has closed the eye.
And you, Old Year, shall still live on.
Oblivion cannot steal
The memory of your days on earth—
you were, and shall be real.
You are immortal as the soul, your
lustre cannot fade,
For you are one of all the years of
which our age is made.

One Candid Democratic Editor.

Houston, Tex., Post.

Republican that President Coolidge is, we do not hesitate to say that he has a cool head, a ruly tongue, a good backbone and a dependable intestinal structure.

Put Bunk in History.

Boston Transcript.

Henry Ford may not be able to prove that history is bunk; but we have to admit that he has put a lot of bunk in the history of his time.

The Good Die Young.

Rockford Republic.

Nothing dies as young as a good resolution.

Comparative Value of Bones.

Louisville Times.

A bone in the hand is worth two in the head.

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Let The Courier Classified Fill Your Wants

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

FLORISTS.

CUT FLOWERS, WEDDING BOUQUETS and floral designs of all kinds. James E. Schell, Florist. Bell 537, Tri-State 880-Y, South Connellsville, Pa. 20sept-tf-con

LOST—FOUND.

BUSINESS SERVICE.

PROFESSIONAL.

GLASSES INTENDED FOR CHRISTmas presents should be arranged for as early as possible to avoid a last minute disappointment. Dr. I. W. Myers, Woolworth Building. 6dec-tf-con

PERSONAL.

WE HAVE PARTS FOR THE latest hook-ups. Neutrodyne, Cotoco, Priest Reflex, Flewelling. Three circuit regenerative and others. Radio Specialties Company, 101 North Arch street. 20nov6t-con

TAXI AND TRANSFER.

OPPMAN'S TAXI AND TRANSFER. Local and long distance moving. We specialize in moving household goods. Both phones. Opposite Postoffice. 27sept-tf-con

JAMES TAXI SERVICE, DAY AND night. Immediate—careful—courteous. Both Phones No. 2. 117 South Pittsburg street, Connellsville. 25sept-tf-con

MOVING TRUCKS.

FIVE TON DUMP TRUCK FOR hire. P. B. Kessler, 812 McCormick avenue. Bell 1098. Tri-State 554. 17nov-tf

GLOTFELTY'S TRANSFER.

MOVING AND GENERAL HAULING. Bell 842, Tri-State 578. Office by Arlington Hotel. 15nov-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

PARTNER WANTED — MAN OR woman 35 or over with small capital for household necessities. Big repeaters. No experience required. Will furnish experience and crew. Write Box 31, care Courier. 27dec1tx

ADDING BEAUTY AND CHARM TO YOUR HOME

WE BELIEVE THERE IS NO BUSIness quite so fascinating as that which brings beauty and charm into your home. The one thing that will either make or mar an interior is character of wall treatment used. Nowadays when we have so many attractive and beautiful wall paper designs, it requires only a bit of good judgment to achieve an exceptionally attractive room. We take a genuine interest in aiding those who seek beauty for the home, and will be glad to talk with you on the subject any time. O. S. Gettys, Wall Paper and Decorating, 133 South Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Penna. 14dec-tf-con

FISHER'S UPHOLSTERY SHOP, 810 South Pittsburg street. Residence Bell Phone 1027. 8dec10tx

AMBROSE-DIEHL ELECTRIC CO. THE BEST IN HOUSEHOLD ELECtrical appliances with a complete service department. We will repair your electric washer or vacuum cleaner regardless of trouble. Call Earl McGraw, 100 Hans avenue. Bell 067. Tri-State 737. 28dec-tf-con

NEW FISH MARKET.

JUST OPENED. FRESH FISH daily, 607 West Crawford avenue, second door below Union National Bank. 19dec12tx

SINGER SEWING MACHINE.

PRICES AND TERMS TO SUIT every purse. What could be a more lasting remembrance than a Singer for Christmas? Portable electric motors and Singer lights. Open evenings till Christmas. Singer Sewing Machine Company, 142 South Pittsburg street, Connellsville.—20dec-tf-con.

PERSONAL SERVICE.

DOMESTIC ELECTRICIANS, CHANdeliers, wiring and electrical supplies. Chorpenning Electric Co., 110 North Meadow Lane, Connellsville. 20dec-tf-con

CLEANING—PRESSING.

WE CLEAN, REPAIR AND PRESS ladies and gents suits. All work done by the latest improved machinery. American Tailoring and Dry Cleaning Co., 311 North Pittsburg street. Bell 1350-J. 22oct-tf-con

CLEANING AND PRESSING. REmodeling done as you like it. Fall and winter samples now on display. S. Prestia, 130 El Grape Avenue. 4oct-tf-con

CLEAN CLOTHES SPEAK FOR A man's good character. Have your clothes cleaned often at The Fashion Tailer, 905 West Crawford. 28sept-tf-con

FREE.

A STEEL TUB BENCH GIVEN WITH each Easy Vac Washing Machine purchased before Christmas. A. P. Freed, 125 South Pittsburg street. 13dec-tf-con

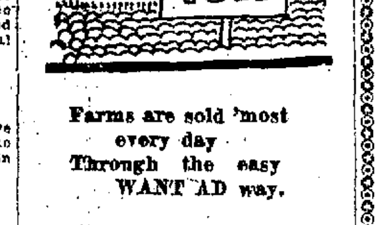
WANTED.

WANTED — BOYS AND GIRLS. Must be 16 years of age or over. Connellsville Silk Company. 20dec-tf

WANTED—AT ONCE, BOY TO work in grocery store. Apply Rudolph's Store, 700 Vine street. 31dec1t

WANTED—MAID GIRL TO HELP with children and light housework. Apply 507 East Cedar avenue. Call Tri-State 888-X or Bell 412-W. 31dec8t

WANTED—PERMANENT POSITION for stenographic clerk. Must be 18 years old. State qualifications in letter. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Connellsville. 31dec1t



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RENTALS.

FOR RENT—GARAGE, LOCATED on North Third street. Inquire 126 W. Peach street. 20sept-tf

FOR RENT—STORE ROOM, LOcated 206 Water street. Inquire 126 W. Peach. 1dec-tf

FOR RENT — TWO FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. No children. Inquire 800 West Crawford. 28dec3tx

FOR RENT—THREE ROOM APARTment. Heat furnished, $25.00 per month. 303 North Pittsburg street. 29dec2t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. Inquire 310 South Pittsburg street. Opposite Carnegie Library. 29dec4tx

FOR RENT—ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping. 382 McCormick Ave. 20dec6tx

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FRONT room for gentleman 210 South Eighth street. 29dec3t

FOR RENT—HOUSE, FOUR ROOMS. Opposite City Hall. Inquire Anna B. Schmitz, 156 West Crawford, upstairs. 31dec6tx

FOR RENT—LARGE FURNISHED front room, all conveniences, centrally located. Call 224 South Prospect St. 31dec2t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM for gentleman. 208 South Prospect St. 31dec3t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—USED AUTO PARTS OF all kinds for any make car. Save two-thirds on your auto parts. Auto Wrecking Co., McCormick and Gibson. 25sept-tf-con

FOR SALE—SEVERAL SHOP WORN vocalions. Sanders & Stayman, 109 West Apple street. 21nov-tf-con

FOR SALE—WE ARE REDUCING our stock of men's dress shoes. Good styles. Peter Diamond Brand Shoes. Come and see them. F. M. Pestilli, next to Y. M. C. A. 1oct-tf-con

FOR SALE—SPECIAL SALE ON electric stand lamps, silk shades, for only $9.00, for this week only. Duofolds, $59.00. Ten piece dining-room suits, $185.00. Connellsville Furniture Company, 238 North Pittsburg street. 5dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ROYAL SWEEPERS AT $45.00, others as low as $35.00. See them at A. P. Freed's 125 South Pittsburg street. 13dec-tf-con

FOR SALE — SCREENED COKE. Bell 1008, Tri-State 554. 10nov-tf

FOR SALE — HUBBARD OVEN, capacity seventy-two loaves, three decks, size Acme C, only used three weeks, cost $261.00. Complete as now. Inquire William Hodgkiss, Alverton, Penna. 31dec4tx

FOR SALE—ELCAR, 1922 MODEL. Sold for storage, at 1 o'clock, January 10th. L. B. Kendal, Dunbar Township. 26dec-to-1-x

BARREL LIME, HIGH GRADE lime, Lehigh cement, Barrett roofing, frame lumber, dressed lumber, sash, doors, lath and plaster. Keystone Planing Mill Company. 16dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ADVERTISING SPACE in this paper. Ask for rates.

BUILDING MATERIAL.

YOUGH COAL & SUPPLY COMPANY has dumped a car of mine run coal from Clarksburg field, Nine ft. vein, good burning coal, large lumps, 16c at the yard, 18c delivered. Come and see it. Yough Coal & Supply Company. Bell 1048. Tri-State 271. 3dec-tf-con

AUTOMOBILE.

USED CARS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—ONE OLDS EIGHT 5-passenger Touring. Good paint and upholstery and in A-1 shape mechanically. A real bargain. Bell 196. Wertheimer Motor Co. 17oct-tf-con

FOR SALE—1923 OLDS 8 SUPER Sport, 1922 Olds 4 Touring, 1921 Ford Sedan, 1921 Cleveland Touring. Olds-Fayette Motor Company. Bell 574, Tri-State 365. 117 East Apple street. 20dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ONE PAIGE COUPE. Brand-new tires, real bargain. United Motor Company, 611 West Crawford avenue. 28nov-tf-con

FOR SALE—OR TRADE, ON LIGHT Touring, one 1923 Jewett Sedan. Run less than 5,000 miles. A-1 condition. Fagan & Rittenberger, Brookvale. 20nov-tf-con

FOR SALE—ONE 6-41 OAKLAND Sport Touring, one 6-44 Oakland Standard Touring, one Ford Ton Truck, one Allen Touring, one Liberty Touring, Ford Tourings and Ford Roadster, T. F. Means Garage, 127 North Eighth street, West Side. 21dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ONE FORD TOURING, Chalmers Touring, Cadillac Touring, Cole Speedster. Cars in good A-1 mechanical condition. Will demonstrate. Terms arranged. Open evenings. Mason Motor Company, 110 West Apple street. Bell 105. 24nov-tf

FOR SALE—GOOD USED CARS. 1921 Touring, starter. Good shape, $175.00. 1920 Coupe, starter, Rucksteil Axle, Hasslers, bargain at $225.00. 1920 Touring with starter, in good shape, $110. Hyatt Motor Co. Bell 139. 5dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—KEEP THE JUMPS and jerks out of your Ford. Let us install an At-water Kent ignition system. Connellsville Automotive Company, Inc., West Crawford avenue, at corner of Third, Connellsville, Penna. 4dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ONE FORD TOURING, $125.00. Overland Touring, both late models. Terms or your car taken as part payment. Connellsville Nash Co., 803 West Crawford avenue. Bell 1158. 10dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—1923 BUICK SIX 4-PASsenger Coupe, 1923 Buick Six, Ford Touring, 1921 Buick 6 Roadster, 1919 Franklin Roadster. Connellsville Buick Company, 256 East Crawford avenue. 27dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—NEW FORD CARS sold on easy payments. Steinman Motor Company, authorized dealers, Fayette City, Pa. Bell Phone 68. 31dec12t

AUTOMOBILES. SERVICE STATIONS.

BRAKES RELINED BY MACHINery. It's done by countersinking the rivets and only brake lining exposed. See Danny Hickey, Brake Service, West Side Garage. 15oct-tf-con

AUTO PAINTING—CAR FINISHED $25.00 and up. Curtains and tops made and repaired. All work guaranteed. Quick service. Connellsville Auto Painting Company, opposite Olds Fayette Motor Company. Tri-State 860. 5dec-tf-con

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—ONE LOT ON NORTH Seventh street. Easy terms. Price $250. Inquire 126 West Peach street. 14may-tf

FOR SALE—THREE ROOM HOUSE, in city, good neighborhood. Price $1,500. Write "B" care Courier. 28dec3tx

FOR SALE—BRICK HOUSE, EIGHT rooms, finished third floor, slate roof, nice porches, all conveniences. Paved street, house in good condition. South Side, $7,500.00. Robt. Norris. dec27-29-31jan2-4

FOR SALE—TWO EIGHT ROOM houses, all modern conveniences, good locations, prices right, terms. Call Tri-State 852. W. W. Dwire, 216 East Crawford avenue Connellsville. 24dec-tf-con

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE MOST beautiful South Side homes. Brick, eight rooms, double garage. Built one year. John J. Brady, First National Bank Building. 19dec-tf-con

LEGAL NOTICES

SEALED PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived by the undersigned until 7 o'clock P. M., January 14, 1924, for the construction of a Garbage Disposal Plant in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of City Engineer; the right being reserved to reject any or all bids. C. M. Stone, Purchasing Agent, City of Connellsville. 24dec3t-mon

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

F. E. Younkin, Attorney.

ESTATE OF GEORGE DOBIAS, DEceased. Letters of administration on the estate of George Dobias, late of Smock, Redstone Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. Anna Dobias, Administratrix, Leisenring No. 1, Fayette County, Pennsylvania. 3dec6t-mon

DIVORCE NOTICE.

Sherrard and Sherrard, Attorneys.

JOE ERCEGOVICH VS. MARY Ercegovich. In the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pa., No. 109 December Term, 1923. To Mary Ercegovich, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pa., on the second Monday of January of said Court, A. D., 1924, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. I. I. Shaw, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, December 8th, 1923. 10dec4t-mon

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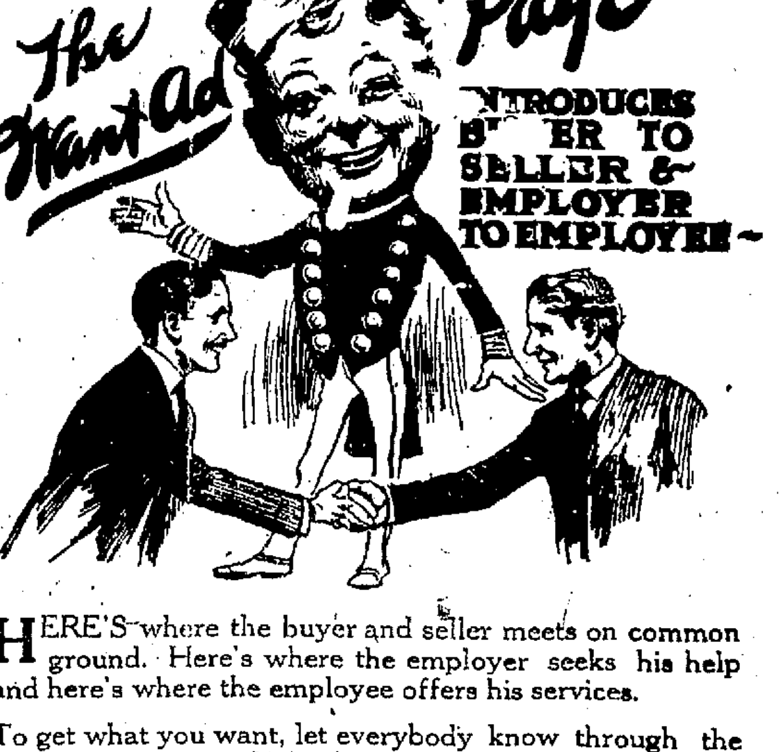

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NEWS OF DAY AT MOUNT PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Watch Night Programs Planned by Churches, Lodges and Others.

CRASH VICTIMS BURIED

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 31.—Mrs Paul Robinson entertained a number of her friends at the College avenue home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Overholt. Seven tables of bridge was in play during the afternoon. The decorations, red and green, were carried out in the refreshments. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Paul C. McClement of Monongahela City, Mrs. Robert Shumar of Connellsville and Mrs. Edward Anderson of Scottdale.

Mrs. Stoner Entertains.

On Saturday evening Mrs. Howard Stoner and her sister, Miss Flora Grimm, had a few of their friends in to see the Christmas tree and to spend the evening.

Mark Bell Dies.

Funeral services were held at the Stauffer home of Mrs. Minerva Bell for her son, Mark Bell, 47 years old, who died there. Interment was made in the Greenlick Cemetery. Elmer Bell, a brother, lives in Mount Pleasant, and Miss Clara Bell, a sister, at home, is employed at the Bell telephone office here

Watch Night Service.

There will be an old-fashioned watch night service at the Methodist Episcopal Church this evening. There will be an hour program, an hour's recreation, with refreshments, and an hour in which Rev Davies will preach and pray the New Year in.

Personal News.

Misses Esther, Mary and Evelyn Galley are spending a few days with Mrs. Earl Albert, at Ellwood City.

Mrs. Earl Hetzler of Fairmont, W. Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pearl Ross.

Miss Mary Olive Moore was called yesterday to the Beaver Valley Hospital by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Naomi Moore, a nurse in training, who will undergo an operation for appendicitis on Thursday if she is able.

James Cowan, a student in Philadelphia, is here visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs James A. Cowan

The Company E five will meet Youngwood at the armory Tuesday, New Year night.

The range at the armory will be open again this week when the several teams will hold their shoots

Confluence

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 29.—Mrs. A. H Johnson of Meyersdale was here yesterday enroute to Markleysburg to visit friends.

Scott Smith has left for a visit with friends in Binghamton N. Y., and other points in the state

Lester Pike was a recent business visitor to Somerset.

Mrs. Park Bender and little daughter Betty, have returned to their home in Ohiopyle after a visit with friends here.

Harry Hanna has returned from a business visit to Somerset.

Howard Ringer, proprietor of the Riverside Garage, left yesterday for Crafton, W. Va., on business.

Mr. and Mrs Scott Bird and daughter have returned from a visit to Johnstown.

C. J. Baily, the lumberman, was a recent business visitor to Uniontown and Connellsville

Walter Shipley and family have returned from a visit with Mr. Shipley's brother Ellis and family at Braddock.

Mrs W. W. Frazee and daughters, Ruth and Julia have returned from a visit with Mr. Frazee's parents near Selbysport, Md.

Mr. and Mrs George Mickey were in Rockwood yesterday attending the funeral of Dick Rice

Mrs A. B Kurtz of Connellsville was visiting friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. Leo Wagner and little son, have returned to their home in Connellsville after a visit here with her father, I. L. Hall and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W Hall.

Floyd Leydig and Bryce Pore visited Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Bender at Ohiopyle last evening.

Ohiopyle

OHIOPYLE, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey spent Friday in Connellsville the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Colborn.

W. A. Wallace was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown Friday.

Mrs. Earle Raymond of Acosta is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Park Bender.

Timothy Miller of Pittsburg spent Friday here on business.

Lloyd Burnworthwas a caller in Connellsville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs Lester Cagey of Point Marion are visiting with Mrs. Alvena Bryner.

T. H. Wilburn was a caller in Connellsville Friday.

Miss Helen Abbey returned to Pittsburg Friday after a visit spent at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lindorman and children returned to Dickerson Run Thursday after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. William Burnworth.

Miss Isabella Wolfe spent Friday shopping in Connellsville.

Mrs. W. J. Jackson and daughter have returned home from a visit spent at Pittsburg.

Mrs. Guthrie of Bruner Run was a shopper here yesterday.

Hunting Bargains!

Look over our advertising columns of The Daily Courier.

"HEY!! DON'T GO WITHOUT YOUR OLD BOTTLE!" By MORRIS

ODD THINGS FOUND IN FISH

Brooch Swallowed by Cod Is Returned to Woman—Dog, Goat and Purses Found in Sharks.

An old wedding ring has been found inside a scallop dredged up off Weymouth. How it got there is beyond guessing, but there it was, badly discolored, with no mark or sign to show whose finger it had ever adorned

There is scarcely a fisherman who cannot tell of some strange find made while cleaning his catch. A Worthington angler caught a codling two and a half pounds in weight and found inside it a claw ring in which was set an extremely good diamond

Cod are greedy and will swallow anything bright. A woman living at Churnside in Berwickshire bought one of the fish from an Eyemouth dealer and discovered inside it a blue enamel brooch with lettering and a number She advertised it and it was found to belong to an Edinburgh woman whose daughter had lost it at Elie in Fife

Whenever a shark is caught it is always cut open to see what is inside. A shark caught in March 1912, off the Island of Mauritius had inside it a dog, a goat and a regular museum of bones.

Another small shark taken off the North American coast was found to contain a handbag in which were four English sovereigns six shillings, four United States dollars a diamond ring and a love letter.

The most amazing of all such finds was made in October, 1915. It was believed that Germans in the United States had chartered vessels to supply the German submarines, but it was some time before proof could be obtained.

Then some Brazilians caught a shark off Pernambuco and, opening it, found inside a bag containing the papers of a steamer named Maria Quesada, which had sailed from the American port of Newport News. These papers proved beyond doubt that this vessel had been chartered for the purpose of helping German submarines.—London Tit-Bits.

ATTACHMENT FOR HIM

"That man seems to have an attachment for Jones—calls at his house every day."

"So he has—he's the sheriff, you know."

REALITIES--AND THE ALLIED DEBT PROBLEM

By WALTER W HEAD,

President, American Bankers Association.

As a business proposition there is just one reason for considering a recasting of the balances due the United States from foreign governments That is the possibility that such action would aid in reestablishing a foreign market which will absorb our surplus products.

Walter W. Head

It is possible, of course, for the United States to isolate itself. We can produce everything necessary to sustain life More existence, however, is not the purpose of life. We cannot prosper as we have unless we dispose of the surplus products which naturally accumulate, both agricultural and industrial. We must either sell this surplus abroad or curtail our production and generally lower our standard of living.

Our foreign trade depends upon the purchasing power of foreign countries. Europe's inability to buy has impaired our ability to sell We have an interest in Europe's prosperity To protect that interest we must be concerned in the restoration of our debtors' capacity to trade with us and to meet their obligations We should deal with this subject exactly as a banker deals with a loan of doubtful value.

Get the Facts

The United States should have a representative with official standing in the Reparations Commission. We should not necessarily be bound by any agreement which may be proposed, but our representative should gather all information available. The United States Government, of its own motion and based on its own information, should then decide whether it should consider the readjustment of its accounts with Europe, and, if so, in what manner. Our own Debt Funding Commission should recommend to Congress whatever readjustment, if any of the Inter-Allied Debt may be warranted

THESE SUGGESTIONS ARE PURELY FOR FACT-FINDING AND ADVISORY PURPOSES—FOR GETTING DOWN TO THE REALITIES OF THE CASE Precisely what our action should be, to serve the common interest, will be determined by information which at this time is not available Our first step is to secure the information and our duty is to follow developments intelligently

THE FRIEND IN NEED

(From the Nation's Business)

Some there are who still think the banker wears horns Who is the hardboiled citizen, the man behind the thumbscrew? The banker, they will tell you In the light of this illusion, consider a brief excerpt from the resolutions adopted at the recent Atlantic City convention of the American Bankers Association.

"The conclusion is inevitably forced on the impartial observer that the primary need of the world is moral and spiritual regeneration as the essential basis for economic recovery. Until the nations of the world are willing to liquidate their hates they can make little progress toward liquidating their debts"

Hard-boiled? Not that! It harks back to Socrates. "This true politics," he said "is first of all a politics of the soul."

Come to think of it, when we want someone to take care of our funds, to whom do we turn? To the banker When we are in a tight place and need funds, to whom do we turn? To the banker. When there's a civic enterprise afoot, whose time and money do we commandeer first? The banker's.

Dickerson Run

DICKERSON RUN, Dec 29 Miss Gertrude McNear has returned home after a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. Edward Fritz at McKeesport.

Mrs. G. W. Beatty and children are spending the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. L W Addis at Sharon

Joseph Yohe of McKeesport was calling on friends here Thursday.

R. J Moran of Homestead spent last evening here visiting his sister, Mrs. James Beatty.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ritenour and family have returned to their home at Pittsburg after a very pleasant visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs Lloyd Shallenberger at Vanderbilt.

R. C Newell of Jackson spent the day with his brother, F A Newell of Fairview avenue, Connellsville

C. R. Foreman G. W Beatty and Warren Stoner were business callers at Fayette City last evening.

Robert Long, Pittsburg & Lake Erie air instructor of Pittsburg was transacting business here Wednesday

Mrs. A. W Danner was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

To Each and All!

Greetings!

SALUTATIONS! The year 1923 has been good to us — and let our fervent wish be that 1924 will find us at peace with the world and ourselves.

Blessed with almost everything the good Providence could give us, far removed from the strife and tribulations of the other side of the world, we are indeed thankful that the opening of the new year finds us in such an enviable position.

And 1924 dawns with the greatest of hope —that hope for continued prosperity; a greater unity of purpose and a better feeling of brotherly love.

Our Store Will Be Closed All Day Tomorrow, January 1st, 1924.

NELSON'S

106 W. Crawford Ave.

It's Great to Receive a CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB CHECK

Think of the Joy of having a Roll of Crinkly Cash next Christmas

You'll Get Your Check too, if You Join Our Xmas Savings Club now

Union National Bank

W. Crawford Ave., Connellsville

Spend Your Money

with your home merchants. They help pay the taxes, keep up the schools, build roads, and make this a community worth while. You will find the advertising of the best ones in this paper.

New Year Skating

By Mary Graham Bonner

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IN THAT crisp, cold, bright New Year's day they went skating. The children home for the holidays, the fathers home from business, the mothers who were having a glorious afternoon in the out-of-doors—all took part in the New Year skating party which was being given

The ice was firm, hard and smooth Never had it seemed so wonderful.

The air was invigorating. There was no wind. It was an ideal day for a skating party

Afterward they would go back for a New Year's supper party and sit around a big fire telling stories. They would all be at the party. It would be for both old and young, for was not New Year's day a day that was young and yet so close to the oldest day of the year that had gone before?

And in the meantime they skated and laughed and sang songs and fell down and laughed some more and played games. All of them joined in.

And they looked about them at the frozen lake and at the hills surrounding with the glow of the first after noon's rosy light upon them.

It was a beautiful world and people in it were so beautiful, too.

Had it anything to do with the wishes for a Happy New Year which everyone had been wishing everyone else that day?

And not only that—but the wishes in the hearts of each which were sincere wishes for happiness in the gay, good New Year just commencing?

Want Help?

Use our Classified Advertisements.

Why is the sea salty?

—because it has no outlet and salt does not evaporate. Therefore all the salt in the sediment which rivers have carried down from the land, remains in the sea water. Vast quantities of

Puretest Epsom Salt

which are carried into American homes, make this the largest-selling epsom salt on earth.

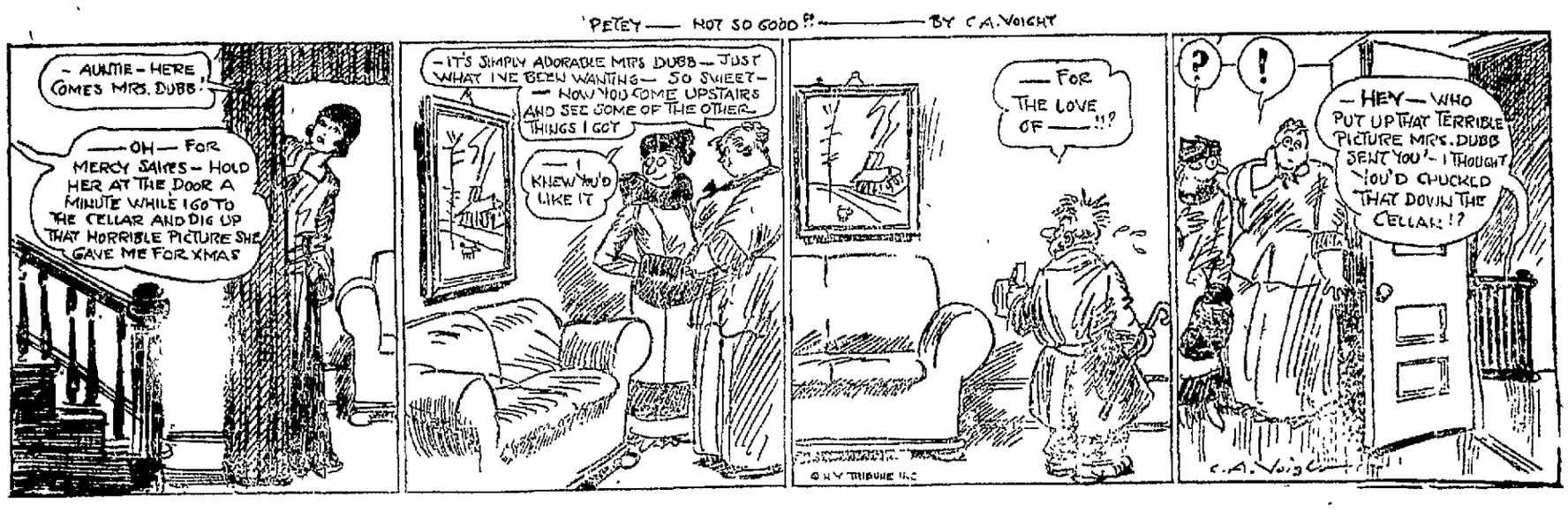
Freed from every impurity, gentle in action, and thoroughly effective The one epsom salt that is really easy to take.

One of 200 Puretest preparations for health and hygiene. Every item the best that skill and conscience can produce.

Connellsville Drug Co

The Rexall Drug Store

PETEY — NOT SO GOOD!! — BY C.A. VOIGHT



Personal Mention

Joseph Kilgore of Pittsburg has returned home after spending Christmas with his friend, Miss Goldie Huey of South Eighth street, West Side.

The best place to shop after all—Brownell Shoe Co.—Advertisement.

Miss Frieda Allen of Greenwood returned to her duties as a clerk at Rosenbaum's store this morning after being off duty for some time past. Miss Allen underwent an operation and has entirely recovered.

Kodak finishing, enlargements made from your own films in water colors. Ward Studio.—Advertisement.—31-3t.

Mrs. Eddie Younkin of Somerset, is visiting relatives here.

Start the New Year with a new set of books for your office. We have everything in blank books and loose leaf ledgers at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple street.—Advertisement.—31-dec-1-2-3jan-4t.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Buer spent Sunday with the former's parents at Masontown.

Buy genuine Edison Mazda lamps. Frank Sweeney, 100 South Pittsburg street.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Clarence Strawn of Blue Ridge Summit, who was a guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Long in Wills road, has gone to Dawson to visit Mr. Strawn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Strawn.

Rendine, the barber and bobber.—Advertisement—m-w-f.

Miss Edna Niswonger employed in the office of Rosenbaum's store, is ill at her home at Dawson.

Chicken Dinner at West Penn Tea Room on New Year.—Advertisement. dec31.

Mrs. J. R. McCauley left last night for her home in Lima, Ohio, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Evans of Lincoln avenue. She was accompanied by Mr. McCauley, who spent his Christmas holidays at the Evans home.

For the best and for the cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans Estate.—Advertisement.—m-f.

Mrs. J. E. Gray and daughter, Marion, of Washington avenue, spent the week-end in Pittsburg.

We have a nice assortment of "Thank You" and New Year cards at Kestner's Book Store, 125 West Apple street.—Advertisement.—27dec-4t.

Mrs. J. J. Draper of South Pittsburg street spent Sunday with friends in Cumberland.

At home photographs, banquets, parties and family gatherings. Ward Studio, Frank F. Leet, Mgr.—Advertisement.—31-3t.

Miss Angela C. Slader is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Donnelly of Wilson, Pa.

Chicken Dinner at West Penn Tea Room on New Year.—Advertisement. dec31.

Mrs. Harry Lambert and son, Charles, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Driscoll.

Miss Anna Rose Farrell has returned here after spending the holidays at her home in Mount Savage, Md.

Warren Halbritter visited relatives in Wilkinsburg and Pittsburg yesterday.

Mrs. George H. Fuehrer is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mrs. W. H. Gruver spent Saturday in Uniontown.

Mrs. Emma Henderson of Wilkinsburg, is the guest of relatives at Dunbar.

Mrs. B. S. Shipley of Confluence is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Shipley of East Fayette street.

Mrs. C. N. Wood of West Apple street, spent the day in Pittsburg.

Mrs. W. A. Furlong of East Green street, and sister, Miss Margaret Wolverton of Cleveland, Ohio, are home from a visit in Clarksburg and Fairmont, W. Va.

Frank M. Wright arrived home this morning from a week's visit at Buckhannon, W. Va.

Misses Ella and Elizabeth Gray of Gallatin avenue went to West Newton this afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shaw over New Year.

Misses Ruth Furlong and Elizabeth Gallo will spend New Year in Pittsburg. They will see "Vanities" at The Nixon.

Jane Downs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Downs, went to Greensburg this morning to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Henderson over New Year.

Miss Elsie Widmer of Gibson avenue, is visiting friends in Cleveland, Ohio.

S. J. Harry left last night for Edwards, N. Y., on business.

Misses Mary and Ruth Brehm have returned to their home in Uniontown after a visit with their uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Utts.

Miss Mabel Hemphill, Miss Frances Leichliter, Gordon Baird and Ernest Whipkey motored to Washington, Pa., Sunday and spent the day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller.

Mrs. John P. Kephart of Philadelphia, Miss Virginia Byrne, Miss Virginia Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Soisson, Rockwell Dull, Soisson Madigan and J. Donald Reid, all of this city, were among the guests at the masquerade dance given last Friday night at the Uniontown Country Club.

Miss Betty Gallagher of New Alexandria is the guest of Miss Mary Thompson at her East Cedar avenue home.

Mrs. George Sherrick of Trader avenue spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Raymond of Cumberland.

Misses Eleanor and Mary Penn of North Arch street and Miss Mary Katharine King of South Connellsville were guests over Sunday of Misses Jean and Mildred Hankins at their home near Summit.

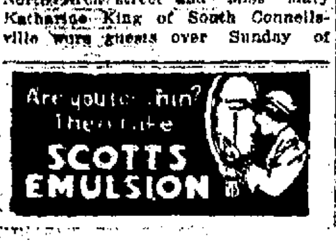
J. L. Fritsch, connected with the West Penn system in Pittsburg, was here today on business.

Mrs. L. L. Seitz and baby, Leslie Gaddis Seitz of Columbus, Ohio, are guests of Mrs. Florence MacDonald, mother of Mrs. Seitz, and other relatives.

Paul Wagoner, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with asthma, was able to be down stairs today for the first time since his illness.

Miss Florence Williams of West Newton is visiting her grandfather, William C. Means, at Poplar Grove. Miss Means is a public school teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roach of Monessen announced the birth of a daughter Christmas morning. The babe is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. James May of South Connellsville. Mr. Roach formerly lived at South Connellsville. Mrs. Roach was Miss Mabel Matthews of Monessen.



MOTHERS
AND THEIR CHILDREN.

Clean Shoes.

One Mother Says:

My sons hated to clean their shoes, leaving this unpleasant job, which I insisted on their doing, until time to get ready for school, the result being a general scramble. At last I fitted up a shoe polishing bench in the basement and made it a rule that each boy should polish his shoes immediately after coming in from afternoon play. Bedroom slippers were then put on for the evening unless company was expected, and when morning came every one had clean boots.

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MOTHER OF PEARL EXPERTS

Czechoslovaks Brought the Industry With Them to the United States.

"If it is mother-o'-pearl it is Czechoslovak." That saying is generally accurate if the article referred to is a pearl button, pearl knife handle, pearl inlay or any other commodity made from the glossy lining of fresh or salt-water shell.

For in the United States the fabrication of nonprecious pearl is almost entirely in the hands of immigrants and the children of immigrants from Czechoslovakia. From the thin stream of immigrants bearing fashions, which a tariff law provoked prior to the Spanish war, there has grown up an American industry in pearl buttons, brooches, rings, pins, jewel caskets, carved cheesemen and various other shell novelties which did not exist before and which radiates from Czechoslovakia factories and home "plants" located in half a dozen or more states on the Atlantic coast.

The human element, and a strict need to rely upon the intuition of trained fingers, has not been entirely eliminated by the use of modern machinery in the pearl industry. Among the Long Island "plants," indeed, there are some which are "manned" entirely by women, if one excepts the guiding influence of the male head of the household.—Detroit News.

INDIA FINDS BIRD USEFUL

Adjutant Eats Up the Rubbish and Helps Out the Sanitary Inspectors.

The adjutant bird is a member of the famous stork family that lives on the roofs of houses in Germany and is so often a family pet and hero of fairy tales.

People in India, too, are very fond of this gawky bird, and are careful not to harm him. He eats up any rubbish in the neighborhood and is a great help to the sanitary department.

When other food is scarce the adjutant goes fishing in the shallow streams, and being five feet tall, he can venture into water quite far without getting his feathers wet. He is also willing to eat tiny birds and mice, which he has no difficulty in catching with his long sharp beak. From tip to tip his outstretched wings measure fourteen or fifteen feet across.—Detroit News.

Gloomy Audience.

"How are you getting on?" asked a friend of an acquaintance who had gone on the stage.

"Oh, I have met with a share of success. I played Hamlet for the first time."

"Did you get through all right?"

"Yes, except that I happened to stumble and fall into Ophelia's grave."

"That must have been embarrassing."

"It was, but I wouldn't have minded it if the audience hadn't seemed so disappointed when I got out."—Houston Post.

On the Job.

In languid summer when each tree
In lazy cadence rustles,
The blithe mosquito seems to be
The only thing that hustles.

Like Chatting With the Plumber.

"My dentist likes to pause in his work and tell funny stories."

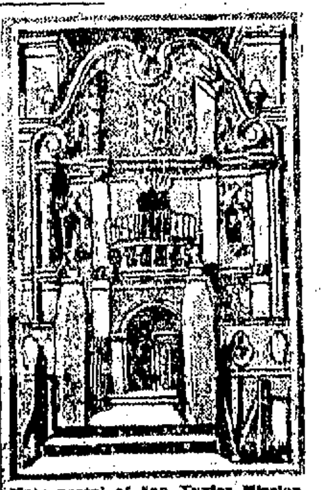
"So does mine, but I don't appreciate funny stories at $10 an hour."—Boston Transcript.

Novel Inspires New Yorkers' Search for "Lost" Indian Mine

New York.—Like a page out of a thrilling romance of the West is the incorporation of a company that has for its aim the discovery of a fabulously rich gold mine, located in the vicinity of Tucson, Arizona, the existence of which is a legend handed down from generation to generation by the members of the tribe of Papago Indians, whose ancestors inhabited that land from pre-historic times. The mine has for tangible proof of existence, gold relics and gold decorations in the Mission of San Xavier del Bac.

Running true to the type of the movie romance is the further fact that, although the incorporation of the company has been made at Albany, N. Y., by hardheaded New York business men, the seekers for the lost mine will be headed by a full-blooded Papago Indian.

According to Harry G. Kosch, attorney, at 1540 Broadway, New York City, the reading of "The Mine With the Iron Door," Harold Bell Wright's latest novel, is largely responsible for the organization of the "Canada del Oro Mining and Development Corporation," as the gold seeking company is named. Novelist Wright's latest book deals with the romance of a "lost" mine, which had been known and worked by the Indians before the advent of the Spanish into that section of America, which is now the State of Arizona. There was so much realism and historical verity to the tale that one of the incorporators, reading it, investigated the foundation of the story and found that at the Mission of San Xavier there is still in evidence one end of a road for mules and burros, the other end of which, before it was swept out of existence by an earthquake or a mountain slide, tradition says, ended at the portals of the mine.



Main portal of San Xavier Mission, which they benefit from the search for a legendary "lost" mine.

The new company is named the Canada del Oro (Canyon of Gold) from the locale in Mr. Wright's novel and the incorporators, after checking up on the history and the legend of the canyon, feel they have such a good chance for success that they have arranged for equipment to begin production in the mine and to reduce the ore. Perhaps before they are through, however, they may have some experiences as thrilling as those Mr. Wright portrays in his book.

The Indian Leader of the expedition agreed to guide it on condition that a percentage of the earnings of the mine, if found, be devoted to the San Xavier Mission, at present operated as a tuberculosis sanitarium for the Indians.

Job for a Referee.

A girl secretary discovered that her employer and her husband did not live happily together, their quarrels being embarrassingly frequent. She therefore gave notice to leave.

"Why?" inquired the woman in surprise.

"Oh, you don't want a secretary in this family," replied the girl. "What you need is a referee!"

Must Check "Shooting Arms."

PAWHUSKA, Okla., Dec. 31.—Dancers at Pawhuska's New Year parties will be required to check their shooting irons. County sheriff laid down his rule today because a gun-toting dancer at Saturday night's hoe-down took his weapon from his holster and killed an other guest.

Repainting Postoffice.

The repainting of the Postoffice was started this morning by W. S. Storey. The walls of the lobby and the postmaster's office are being scrapped and prepared for the paint. A booth will also be constructed for the protection and handling of parcel post packages.

Ambassador Woods Improves.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—Cyrus E. Woods, United States ambassador to Japan, who is confined at the University Hospital with a severe pain in his right shoulder and arm, is steadily improving, his nurse at the hospital said today.

Ku Klux to Hold Convention.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 31.—A convention of Knights of the Ku Klux Klan to make the organization what it should be or to kill it will be held here February 15 to 30, E. Y. Clarke, former imperial wizard, announced today.

Discharged From Hospital.

Elnice Grim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith Grim was admitted to the Connellsville State Hospital yesterday with an attack of appendicitis. She was discharged today, no operation being necessary.

Have Tonsils Removed.

Wendel Leapline and Robert Bower underwent throat operations at the Connellsville State Hospital this morning.

Hunting Bargains?

If so, read our advertising columns. You will find them advertised there.

Anything for Sale?

Use our "Classy-Fied" ads.

COLDS GRIP

Fortify the system against Colds, Grip and Influenza by taking

Laxative **Bromo Quinine** tablets

which destroy germs, act as a tonic laxative, and keep the system in condition to throw off all attacks of Colds, Grip and Influenza.

The box bears this signature

E. W. Grove

Price 30c.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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To be dissatisfied with present attainments, with earthly things and scenes, to aspire and press on to something forever fair, yet forever receding before our steps—this is the teaching of Christianity, and the work of the Christian.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE

A celery soup is always enjoyed by those who like the flavor of that vegetable.

Cream of Celery Soup.—Chop five stalks of celery and pound in a mortar. Cook in a double boiler with two slices of onion and four cupfuls of milk thirty minutes. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter; add three tablespoonfuls of flour and cook one minute, then gradually pour on the hot milk, stirring constantly. Season with salt and pepper; add one-half cupful of cream; strain into a tureen and serve at once.

Brussels Sprouts With Chestnuts.—Boil a quart of brussels sprouts until tender; drain and cook in three tablespoonfuls of butter. Cook one-quarter of a cupful of butter with two teaspoonfuls of sugar until browned. Add one cupful of boiled chestnuts and cook until the chestnuts are brown, then add the sauted sprouts, one-third of a cupful of brown stock, one-half teaspoonful of beef extract, one-half teaspoonful of salt, *a few grains* of cayenne; reheat and serve hot.

Lamb Fricassee.—Cut in serving-sized pieces three pounds of lamb from the fore-quarter. Cover with boiling water and cook slowly until the meat is tender. Remove from the water, cool, sprinkle with salt and pepper; dredge with flour and saute in butter. Arrange on a platter and pour around the meat a brown sauce prepared from browned flour, butter and the liquor in which the meat was cooked. Serve with peas.

Peach Fritters.—Mix and sift one cupful of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, three tablespoonfuls of sugar and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. Add gradually one-third of a cupful of milk, one well-beaten egg and three peaches, cut into small pieces. Drained canned peaches may be used. Drop by spoonfuls into deep fat, hot enough to brown a one-inch cube of bread in a minute. Drain on brown paper and sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Nellie Maxwell

Hunting Bargains?

If so, read our advertising columns and you will find them.

Father Time's Baby

FATHER TIME has called the New Year his Young Hopeful.

He presents him as a happy urchin with a smiling face.

Thus we welcome him.

We always make new investments in hope on January first.

We are not disposed to criticise Time's new boy.

The criticism of a flower adds to our knowledge, but it spoils the flower.

Even if the future brings something of disappointment it will leave us something to still hope for.

The hope of a sail has sustained many a castaway upon this island of a world.

It is such a pleasure to hope that one could thank God for it, though he never realized it.—Christopher G. Hazard.

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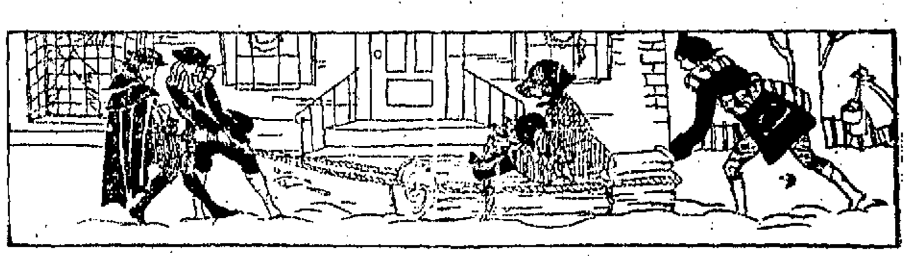
The Rosenbaum Store

Store Closed All Day Tomorrow (New Years)



Happy New Year

THE New Year lies before us full of new hopes, new opportunities and new responsibilities. As we pass forward we pause to express our appreciation to our patrons for the business that we have enjoyed during the past year. And we humbly renew our pledge of loyalty and service to our patrons that the bonds of friendship and confidence between us may be strengthened.

Beginning Wednesday

The January Sale of White

In conjunction with the January Clearance Sales

The reductions offered during these events are most unusual. In the case of the White Goods, some articles are slightly soiled, others are odds and ends, broken sizes, etc., but all perfect qualities, and representative of the most apprved styles for 1923-24. The January Clearance offers Women's, Misses' and Children's Apparel, in the most desirable styles, at

Reductions of

1/4 - 1/3 - 1/2 *off Regular Prices*

See Wednesday's News and Courier for Particulars.

Rosenbaum Bros.

CONNELLSVILLE'S BEST STORE

How the English Housewife Solves the Problem of Variety in Desserts

THE English housewife has a system of solving the dessert problem which might be useful to housewives in America. Instead of one dessert, she has on the table each night two or three separate "sweets," a cake and a custard, or a pie and a jelly.

With such combinations there is always plenty for company and always a variety to please the changing taste of husband and family.

Making a fresh dessert each day, she is always ahead and has some left each night to use the next night.

Here are some tasty desserts which will fit well into such a plan, and they are just as good for the *usual American* menu of a fresh dessert each day. All these desserts are made from one dough.

RECIPE FOR DOUGH

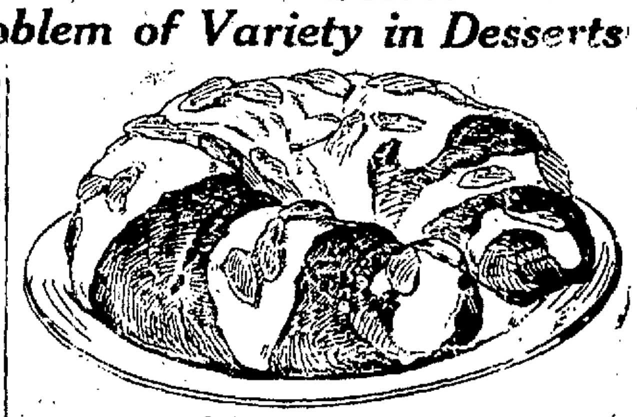
4½ cups sifted flour (spring patent).
1 cup milk, scalded and cooled
½ cup sugar — ¼ cup butter
2 cakes yeast — 2 eggs
¼ teaspoon salt

Method: Crumble yeast into a bowl, slowly add the milk and stir to dissolve the yeast. Add the sugar, beaten eggs, salt and flour, mix, add the melted butter and mix very thoroughly. Turn out on floured board, knead into a smooth dough. Place in well-greased bowl. Cover and set aside to rise—let double in bulk, about two hours. Knead down and let rise 45 minutes.

Note: If dry yeast is used make one cake into a sponge the night before, using all the liquid and one-half the amount of flour given in above list of ingredients. Then add the rest of the ingredients in the morning and mix to a soft dough.

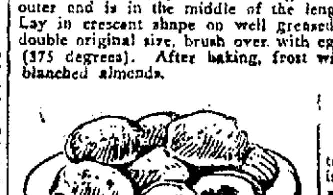
BUTTERSCOTCH BREAD

Roll out dough to fit in square tin one-half inch thick. Cover, let rise. Brush over with melted butter and at two inch intervals make parallel rows of three-fourths inch depressions, using forefinger. In depressions thus made put a bit of butter and fill with brown sugar. Sprinkle with two tablespoons brown sugar mixed with one teaspoon cinnamon and bake in a moderate oven thirty-five minutes.



VANILLA CRESCENT

Roll out dough to ½ inch in thickness, cut into triangular pieces, brush over with butter, sprinkle with sugar and roll up into crescents, so that the outer end is in the middle of the length and on the outside of the roll. Lay in crescent shape on well greased baking sheet; allow to rise until double original size, brush over with egg and bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees). After baking, frost with powdered sugar icing and add blanched almonds.



FILLED DOUGHNUTS

Turn dough on floured bread board and roll out in a rectangular shape ½ inch thick. Brush dough with water, drop 1½ teaspoons of prune filling on half of the dough three or four inches apart. Fold the second half over the first. Cut out with a round cookie cutter and let rise until light or double in bulk. Fry in deep fat until brown. Drain on unglazed paper and roll in a mixture of powdered sugar and cinnamon. *Prune Filling*: Soak ½ pound of prunes for several hours, until soft. Place over flame and bring to a boil. Remove the stones while hot. Run through a meat chopper. Sweeten to taste and flavor with rind of one or two lemons.

CHEESE CAKE

Turn dough on board, roll half an inch thick. Line a well greased baking tin with the dough, prick well with a fork all over, allow the dough to rise 15 minutes and fill with the following mixture:

½ lb. cheese — ½ cup sugar
3 eggs — 2 cups milk
1 tsp. vanilla flavoring.

Rub the cheese and yolks of eggs together until smooth, dissolve sugar in milk, beat the whites of eggs to a froth, and add to the cheese and yolks, then add the milk and sugar. Fill baking sheet and sprinkle with a little cinnamon. Bake slowly. (This recipe makes two cheese cakes.)

APPLE CAKE

Turn dough on bread board, roll half an inch thick. Divide and place in two well greased, shallow pans. Brush each with butter, sprinkle with sugar. Cut apples in eighths and press into dough, sharp edge downward. Sprinkle with cinnamon. Cover and let rise about one-half hour. Bake twenty minutes. Keep covered with pan for first ten minutes in order that the apples may be thoroughly cooked. All kinds of fruit cake can be made using seasonable fruit.—*From Domestic Science Dept., Washburn Crosby Company, Minneapolis, Minn.*

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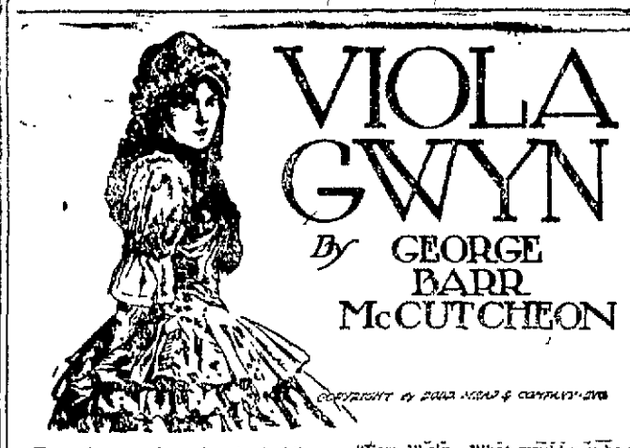

VIOLA GWYN

By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

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Kenneth was a long time in deciding to speak to Rachel Gwyn about the man Suggs. He found an opportunity to accost her on the day that the Paul Revere came puffing up to the little log-built landing near the ferry. Viola had left the house upon learning that the boat had turned the bend in the river two or three miles below town, and had made no secret of her intention to greet Lapelle when he came ashore. This was Gwynne's first intimation that she was aware of her lover's plan to return by the Paul Revere. He was distinctly annoyed by the discovery.

Rachel was in her back yard, feeding the chickens, when he came up to the fence and waited for her to look in his direction. All week—in fact, ever since he had come up there to live—he had been uncomfortably conscious of peering eyes behind the curtains in the parlor window. Time and again he had observed a slight flutter when he chanced to glance that way, as of a sudden release of the curtains held slightly apart by one who furtively watched from within. On the other hand, she never so much as looked toward his house when she was out in her own yard or walk passing by on the road.

She turned at last and saw him standing there.

"May I have a word with you?" he said.

She did not move nor did she speak for many seconds, but stood staring hard at him from the shade of her deep black bonnet.

"What is it you want, Kenneth Gwynne?"

"No favor, you may be sure, Rachel Carter."

She seemed to wince a little. After a moment's hesitation, she walked slowly over to the fence and faced him.

"Well?" she said curtly.

"Do you remember a man at home named Jasper Suggs?"

"Are you speaking of my old home in Salem or of—of another place?"

"The place where I was born," he said, succinctly.

"I have never heard the name before," she said. "Why do you ask?"

"There is a man in this neighborhood—a rascal, I am told—who says he lived there twenty years ago."

She eyed him narrowly. "Well, go on! What has he to say about me?"

"Nothing, so far as I know. I have not talked with him. It came to me in a roundabout way. He is staying with a man named Hawk, down near the Wye. I have been told that he would like to see a duguerrotype of my father some time, just to make sure whether he was the Gwynne he used to know."

"Has he ever seen you, Kenneth Gwynne?" She appeared to be absolutely unconcerned.

"No."

"One look at you would be sufficient," she said. "If you are both so curious, why not arrange a meeting?"

"I am in no way concerned," he retorted. "On the other hand I should think you would be vitally interested, Rachel Carter. If he knew my father, he certainly must have known you."

"Very likely. What would you have me do?" she went on ironically "Go to him and beg him to be merciful? Or, if it comes to the worst, hire some one to assassinate him?"

"I am not thinking of your peace of mind. I am thinking of Viola's. We have agreed, you and I, to spare her the knowledge of—"

"Quite true," she interrupted "You and I have agreed upon that, but there it ends We cannot include the rest of the world Chance sends this man, whoever he may be, to this country. I must likewise depend upon chance to escape the harm he may be in a position to do me. Is it not possible that he may have left before I came there to live? That chance remains, doesn't it?"

"Yes," he admitted. "It is possible. I can tell you something about him He is related to Simon Girty, and he was a renegade who fought with the Indians up north during the war. Does that throw any light upon his identity?"

"He says his name is Suggs?" she inquired.

He was rewarded by a sharp catch in her breath and a passing flicker of her eyes

"Jasper Suggs"

She was silent for a moment "I know him," she said calmly. "His name is Simon Braley At any rate, there was a connection of Girty's who went by that name and who lived down there on the river for a year or two. He killed the man he was working for and escaped That was before I—before I left the place I don't believe he ever dared to go back. So, you see, chance favors us again, Kenneth Gwynne."

"You forget that he will no doubt remember you as Rachel Carter. He will also remember that you had a little girl."

"Let me remind you that I remember the cold-blooded murder of John Hendricks and that nobody has been hung for it yet," she said. "My memory is as good as his if it should come to pass that we are forced to exchange compliments Thank you for the information The sheriff of this county is a friend of mine. He will be pleased to know that Simon Braley, murderer and renegade, is in his bailiwick. From what I know of Simon Girty's nephew, he is not the kind of man who will be taken alive."

He started. "You mean—that you will send the sheriff out to arrest him?"

She shook her head "Not exactly," she replied. "Did you not hear me say that Simon Braley would never be taken alive?"

With that she turned and walked away, leaving him to stare after her until she entered the kitchen door He was conscious of a sense of horror that began to send a chill through his veins.

CHAPTER XII

Landing of the Paul Revere.

The Paul Revere tied up at the landing shortly after two o'clock. The usual crowd of onlookers thronged the bank, attention being temporarily diverted from an important game of "horseshoes" that was taking place in the sugar grove below Trentman's shanty

Pitching horseshoes was the daily fair-weather pastime of the male population of the town. At one time or another during the course of the day, practically every man in the place came down to the grove to shy horseshoes at the stationary but amazingly elusive pegs. It was not an uncommon thing for a merchant to close his place of business for an hour or so in order to keep an engagement to pitch horseshoes with some time-honored adversary.

There were a score of passengers on board the Paul Revere, among them Harry Lapelle. He kept well in the rear of the motley throng of voyagers, an elegant, lordly figure, approached only in sartorial distinction by the far-famed gambler, Sylvester Hornaday, who likewise held himself sardonically aloof from the common horde, occupying a position well forward, where, it might aptly be said, he could count his sheep as they straggled ashore

From afar Barry had recognized Viola standing among the people at the top of the bank, and his eager, hungry gaze had not left her. She, too, had caught sight of him long before the boat was near the landing. She waved her kerchief

He lifted his hat and blew a kiss to her A thrill of exultation ran through him He had not expected her to meet him at the landing Her mere presence there was evidence of a determination to defy not only her mother but also to brave the storm of gossip that was bound to attend this public demonstration of loyalty on her part, for none knew so well as he how the townspeople looked upon their attachment. A most satisfying promise for the future, he gloated; here was the proof that she loved him that her intimidating outbursts of temper were not to be taken seriously, that his power over her was irresistible There were times when he felt uncomfortably dubious as to his hold upon her affections She was whimsical, perverse maddening in her sudden transitions of mood And she had threatened more than once to have nothing more to do with him unless he mended his ways! Now he smiled triumphantly as he gazed upon her All that pother about nothing! Henceforth he would pay no attention to her whims; let her rail and fume and lecture as much as she liked, there was nothing for him to be worried about. She would always come round like a lamb—and when she was his for keeps he would take a lot of the nonsense out of her!

With few exceptions the passengers on board the Revere were strangers—fortune-seekers, rovers, land-buyers and prospectors from the East and South come to this well-heralded region of promise, perhaps to stay, perhaps to pass on. Three or four Lafayette men, home after a trip down the river, crowded their way ashore, to be greeted by anxious wives The strangers were more leisurely in their movements They straggled ashore with their nondescript possessions and ambled off between two batteries of frank, appraising eyes. One of these individuals was a tall, swart, bearded fellow with black, shifty eyes and a scowling brow. His baggage consisted of a buckskin sack slung across his shoulder and a small bundle which he carried under his arm. He appeared to have no acquaintances among the voyagers

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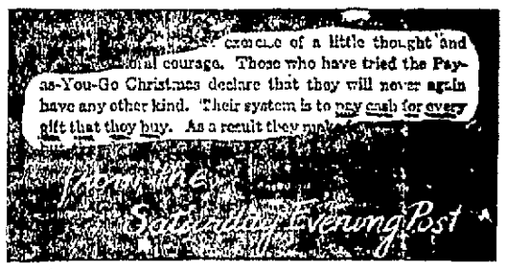

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Orange and Black Quintet Plays Tonight and Tomorrow

Coker Aggregation Meets South Brownsville on Local Floor This Evening.

SALISBURY ON TUESDAY

High School plays two basketball games this week—one tonight and the other tomorrow evening. They will be the final ones of the pre-season schedule and from Wednesday on all time will be devoted to getting into shape for the regular season.

The South Brownsville High School will be the attraction this evening. The game is scheduled for 8:15 o'clock. The visiting organization may give the Cokers an interesting evening, it is said. The game will be interesting and may show some improvement in the local aggregation. The Orange and Black basketeers have been working out on the gym in preparation for the games, having practiced Friday and Saturday nights.

Tomorrow evening the team that is regarded as being strongest of any which has yet faced the locals this season will be here. It will be the Salisbury High School quintet of Elk Lick, Somerset county, champions of that district last year. With practically the same line-up again this season it looks like another big year for Salisbury and fans will get a rare treat at that game.

Casey Club Will Open Season Thursday With St. Vincent College

The Casey Club will again don its colors and be a strong contender for the city championship. Floor fans will witness the opening game of the season of the Caseys when they will meet the St. Vincent Collegians at the High School gymnasium Thursday evening. For the past three years the Casey Club has been one of the strongest and fastest five on the floor in this vicinity. This year it will be better than ever as it has some of the best material to choose from. A few new faces will be seen also.

Francis M. Brady is manager. "Pike" Henry will be the captain. Others will be "Buck" Lowney, "Billy" Pritchard, "Ted" Pritchard, "Doc" Buttermore, William Reilly, Bradley and A. Rusinko.

All first-class teams desiring games call 1232-M, Bell, and ask for Brady, or 194-R and ask for Fred.

Dickerson Run League Will Open Season Tuesday

The Y. M. C. A. Bowling League at Dickerson Run will open its season tomorrow evening at Dickerson Run, Dawson playing Shop Track.

The league this year promises to be very interesting as the four teams are equally divided. The league is made up of the following teams and their captains:

Dickerson Run, captain, John Kessler; Vanderbilt, captain, Bryan Newmyer; Shop Track, captain, Judy Moldsky; Dawson, captain, William McCune.

Two games will be bowled each week, on Tuesday and Friday evenings, the season closing on April 11.

Dickerson Run to Meet St. Vincent Of Leisenring No. 1

The St. Vincent Club of Leisenring will play basketball at the Dickerson Run Y. M. C. A. tonight. The game will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

On January 8 the Lion Tamers Club of this city and St. Vincents will play basketball on the High School floor here.

Wrestling Match Tonight at Armory

The wrestling match which will be staged tonight at the Armory will be a hard-fought match, as the winner will take all in the main bout. Pratt is in fine condition and expects to retain the city championship. Gomas has nothing to say only that his one wish has been fulfilled—he has secured a match before he returns to his ship.

At the close of the matches Gomas will show the spectators what the Navy will do for one. Five men, aggregating 500 pounds, will stand on his chest and he will raise them off the floor, with nothing but his feet and the back of his head touching the mat, forming a bridge. This test of strength will be one of the many he will do.

Of Interest to Fans.

The Unky Fraternity bowling teams in the Frat Duckpin League will roll tomorrow evening. The first game will be at 7:30 o'clock. The teams will roll off the games scheduled for last Tuesday night, postponed on account of Christmas.

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Nelson's Girls basketball team is practicing regularly in preparation for the coming season.

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K. O Yutzy of Cumberland Saturday completed his training with Billy Carter, local boxer, for the first decision fight to be staged in Indiana when he meets Mike Urick of the Pittsburg Lyceum at that place New Year night. Urick is one of Harry Greb's sparring partners. Both boys are in excellent condition, with the odds in Yutzy's favor, he having a string of four knockouts to his credit.

Batters Need Nerve for Hard Hitting, Says Wheat

Hitting depends entirely on a player's nerve, in the opinion of Zach Wheat, heavy-hitting outfielder of the Brooklyn National league club.

"A player who lacks courage always can be found well down in the averages," says Wheat. "Baseball's best hitters, like Ruth, Cobb, Speaker, Hornsby, Hallmann and Ronsh, are both nervy and confident. They know how to pull themselves out of a batting slump.

"When I fail to hit, I know I am doing something wrong at the plate and try to correct the fault. I know there isn't anything the matter with the bat, the ball or the umpire. It is my own fault, and no one can make me get back into my stride except Old Man Wheat himself."

FEW PLAYERS STAND DIAMOND GRIND LONG

Cobb Has Stood Acid Test of 18 Years of Playing.

It is unusual for a really great athlete to last long. He works so hard that he wears out a lifetime of energy in a brief space. Occasionally a man comes up to the top who continues to star for a half-dozen years; a rarity appears and holds his place for a dozen years, but once it is given any man to observe a star athlete who can continue to shine through a dozen and a half years.

For instance—of the 400 players in the major league 12 years ago, only 18 are still in the majors. One of these was out of the game for a time, so that only 12 have served continuously for the period of 12 years. Thus one man in forty is able to hold his own for the brief space of 12 years.

Of the approximately 350 players who were in the major leagues 18 years ago, only one remains. Since that time it is likely that 5,000 men have been in the majors only to pass out. Which proves that this one man who has survived the acid test of 18 years of starring must be some physical miracle to be the sole survivor of 5,350 men.

This man is Ty Cobb, manager and center fielder of the Tigers. He is going in for another year of strenuous athletics again next season, and probably for a season or two after that.

Only four men in the major leagues are with the clubs they were in 1911. They are Ty Cobb, Walter Johnson, Max Carey and Zach Wheat. Adams is back with Pittsburgh, but he was out in the Western league for a time and he doesn't count. The other veterans of a dozen years in the majors are Eddie Collins, Harry Hooper, John Collins, Jack Quinn, Jake Daubert, Tris Speaker, Walter Johnson, Stuffy McInnis and Rube Marquard.

Of the whole lot, Cobb, dean of the bunch, is still probably the best player, but Speaker, Eddie Collins and Daubert are still good.

Bok Announces New Peace Prize as $100,000 Contest Winner Ready To Be Named

EDWARD W. BOK.

PHILADELPHIA—"The man behind the peace prize," Edward W. Bok, former editor of the Ladies Home Journal, has announced that with the awarding of the $100,000 prize early in January, for the best plan to facilitate world peace, he will inaugurate a new peace-prize plan.

The winner of the $100,000 prize, as yet unnamed publicly, has already received $50,000 of the prize money, and will receive the other half if his plan is accepted by a referendum of the people of the United States and the United States senate.

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Man o' War, the wonder horse of the American turf, won 20 races out of 21 events.

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John J. McGraw's salary as manager of the New York Giants is estimated at $50,000 a year.

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The prospective opponents of Jack Dempsey, are Harry Wills, Tom Gibbons, Luis Firpo and Jack Renault.

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The University of Missouri is the first of the big schools in the Middle West to take up polo as a college sport.

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A tennis player, who recently appeared in a North of England tournament, played with a racquet in each hand.

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A hint from Cincinnati is that the management of the Reds would eagerly consider offers of a trade for Sam Bohne.

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Mexico City now has three country clubs, in addition to numerous tennis football, riding, baseball, rowing and polo clubs.

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The twenty-fourth annual American Bowling congress will set another record entry mark with about 2,200 teams competing.

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According to Coach Zuppke of Illinois football players need big feet to enable them to keep their balance when they are hit hard.

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Swimming is the leading sport of the Hawaiian Islands, followed by tennis, golf, polo, football, basketball, volley-ball and baseball.

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The Salt Lake club came across with an item to the effect that George (Duffy) Lewis has been re-engaged as manager for the season of 1924.

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Robert Roth of Switzerland, who won the heavyweight wrestling championship at the last Olympic games, has become a professional boxer.

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The interesting news comes from some obscure place where Rube Benton has been sojourning since the season closed that Rube may give up baseball.

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Jack Slattery, old-time major league player, after four years of service, has resigned as coach of the Harvard university baseball squad to look after personal business interests.

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To satisfy their love for outdoor sports inhabitants in New York city spent close to $10,000,000 during the 1923 season. The chief sports were boxing, baseball and racing.

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The University of Missouri is a busy college in an athletic way as Coach Chester L. Brewer, in addition to football, baseball, track and basketball, also has time to give attention to the students' play in swimming, tennis, golf, boxing, wrestling and gymnastics.

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Earl Neale, former outfielder with the Cincinnati Reds, who has made good as a football coach since he retired from big league baseball, has been re-engaged by the University of Virginia athletic directors to coach football and baseball for two more years at bigger pay.

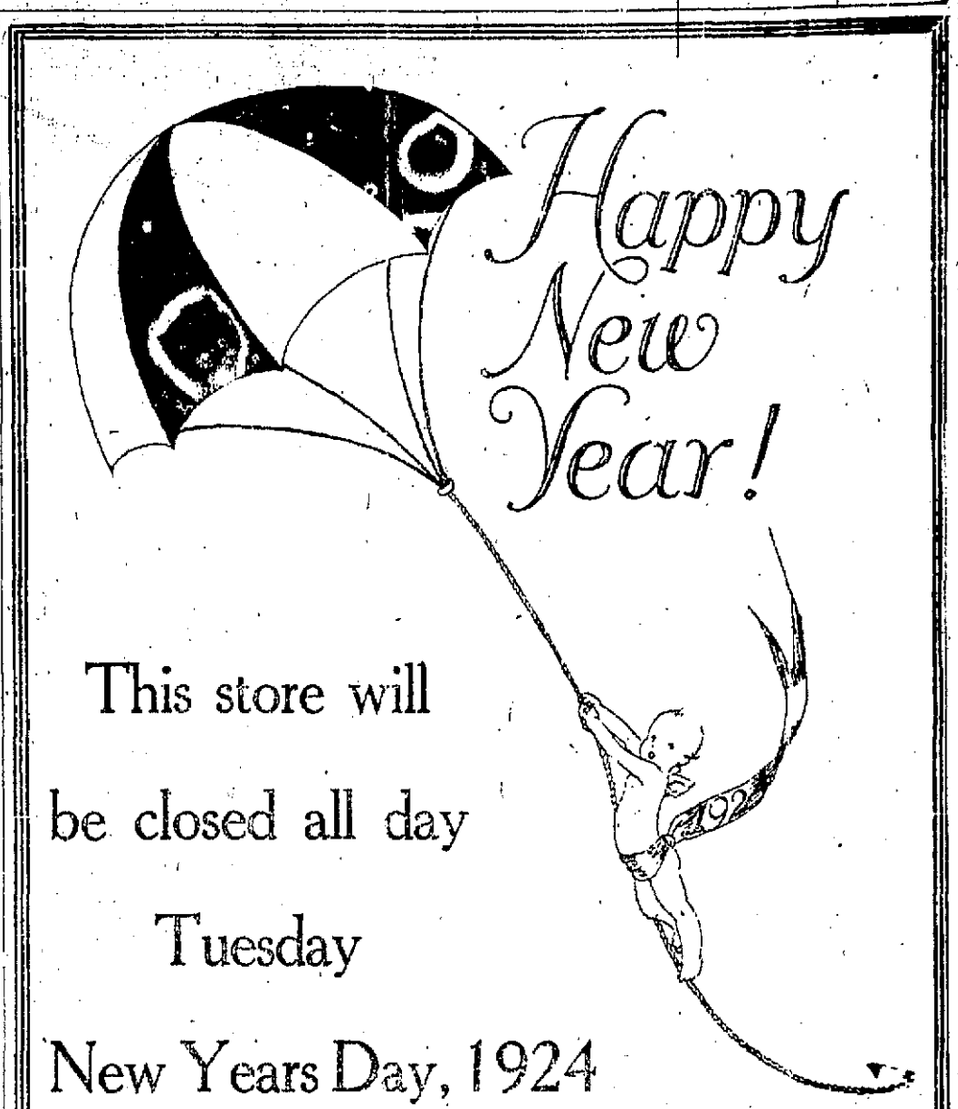
Honor Former Trainer

University of Pennsylvania Varsity club has erected at the south gate leading into Franklin field a memorial tablet in recognition of the services of Michael C. Murphy, who was coach of the track teams and trainer of football players from 1896 to 1900, and again from 1905 to 1912, when he died.

The tablet records that Mike Murphy was a "famous trainer of many victorious teams," and contains one of his oft-quoted sayings, "You can't lick a team that won't be licked." The tablet was dedicated when Cornell played football there Thanksgiving day.

Hard Job for Spring Is Plan of Manager Sisler

One of the first statements credited to Manager George Sisler of the Browns was his intention to start an intensive educational campaign with the players the moment they reported in the spring. A knowledge of the rules and inside baseball were to be considered. Sisler may find that a tougher job than landing the Browns in the first division.



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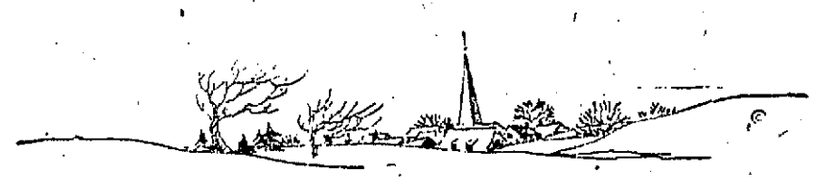

WONDERFUL RECORD MADE BY CORNELL FOOTBALL SQUAD

Coach Gil Dobie of the Cornell football team, shown in the inset, is credited with the wonderful record this squad has made in the last three years. Photograph shows Pfann, the clever field general of Dobie's powerful eleven, getting away on a run, aided by perfect interference, which netted a thirty-five-yard gain for the Cornellians in the recent Columbia game.

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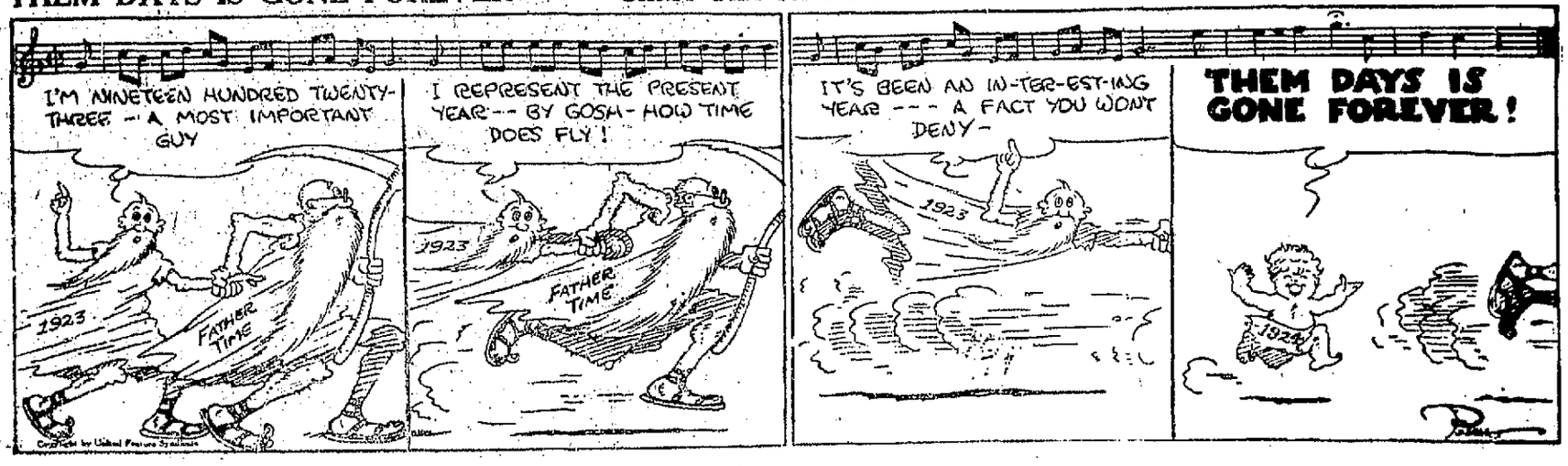
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